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(PLANE-SOVIET)

(620) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD PLANE-SOVIET
BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)-THE UNITED STATES EXPOSED TO THE WORLD TODAY A SECRET RECORDING OF EXCITED, GLOATING VOICES IT IDENTIFIED AS THOSE OF SOVIET JET FIGHTER PILOTS SHOOTING DOWN A HELPLESS U. S. TRANSPORT PLANE.

ONE BIT, MERCILESS AND BOASTING, SAID:
"YES, HE IS FALLING, I WILL FINISH HIM OFF, BOYS, I WILL FINISH HIM OFF ON THE RUN."

THE GRAPHIC RECORDING WAS MADE PUBLIC BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON THE EVE OF THE BURIAL OF TWO VICTIMS OF THE PLANE CRASH. IN ALL, 17 AMERICAN AIRMEN MAY HAVE DIED. CERTAINLY SIX DID.

IT WAS LAST SEPT. 2 THAT THE UNARMED C130 TRANSPORT WAS DOWNED, NEAR THE BORDER BETWEEN TURKEY AND SOVIET ARMENIA.

THE CRAFT WAS ADMITTEDLY OFF COURSE AND IT CRASHED ABOUT 25 MILES INSIDE ARMENIA--BUT THERE WAS NO QUESTION ABOUT IT BEING A TRANSPORT, AND THERE WAS A SUSPICION IT MAY HAVE BEEN LED ASTRAY BY SOVIET RADIO SIGNALS.

THE VIVID ACCOUNT WAS EARLIER PRESENTED TO THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT. BUT FROM DEPUTY PREMIER ANASTAS MIKOYAN ON DOWN, SOVIET OFFICIALS TREATED THE INCIDENT AS JUST ANOTHER AIRPLANE CRASH. THEY HAVE IGNORED THE TAPE RECORDING AND DENIED INFORMATION OF THE MISSING 11 AMERICANS.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT ALMOST FROM THE BEGINNING TOOK THE POSITION THAT THE TRANSPORT WAS SHOT DOWN. BUT UNTIL TODAY IT HAD DECLINED TO DISCLOSE--EXCEPT TO THE MOSCOW GOVERNMENT--THE BASIS FOR THIS DETERMINED ASSERTION.

THE TAPE RECORDING PURPORTEDLY COVERS THE OPERATION OF FIVE SOVIET FIGHTER PILOTS FROM THE BEGINNING OF A SEARCH FOR THE TRANSPORT OVER SOVIET TERRITORY UNTIL AFTER IT WAS DESTROYED.

"THE TARGET IS A TRANSPORT, FOUR ENGINE," ONE PILOT CRIED, ACCORDING TO A TRANSLATION FROM THE RUSSIAN PROVIDED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

"I AM ATTACKING THE TARGET..."

"TARGET SPEED IS 300 (KILOMETERS, ABOUT 180 MILES PER HOUR) I AM GOING WITH IT. IT IS TURNING TOWARD THE FENCE (BORDER).

"...THE TARGET IS BURNING..."

"THERE'S A HIT..."

"THE TARGET IS BURNING, 582 (NUMBER OF ONE PLANE).

"THE TARGET BANKING..."

"IT IS GOING TOWARD THE FENCE..."

"OPEN FIRE..."

"THE TARGET IS BURNING..."

"THE TAIL ASSEMBLY IS FALLING OFF THE TARGET..."

"LOOK AT HIM, HE WILL NOT GET AWAY, HE IS ALREADY FALLING."

"YES HE IS FALLING, I WILL FINISH HIM OFF, BOYS, I WILL FINISH HIM OFF ON THE RUN."

"THE TARGET HAS LOST CONTROL, IT IS GOING DOWN."

"NOW THE TARGET WILL FALL..."

"THE TARGET HAS TURNED OVER..."

"THE TARGET IS FALLING."

ON THE WAY HOME, ONE OF THE RUSSIAN VOICES BRAGGED: "AFTER MY THIRD PASS THE TARGET STARTED BURNING."

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS REFUSED TO SAY HOW THEY CAME INTO POSSESSION OF THE RECORDING. PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE CALLED IS

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ABSOLUTELY AUTHENTIC AS AN ACCOUNT OF THE ASSAULT.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT ALSO RELEASED PHOTOGRAPHS AND ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS OF TWO ARTICLES WHICH APPEARED IN "SOVIET AVIATION" ON SEPT. 19 AND 20.

IN THESE ACCOUNTS SOME OF THE FIGHTER PLANE NUMBERS WERE THE SAME AS IN THE TRANSCRIBED RECORDING, ALTHOUGH THE COMBAT DESCRIBED IN THE ARTICLES WAS PRESENTED AS A PRACTICE EXERCISE WITH CAMERAS INSTEAD OF GUNS.

ROBERT MURPHY, DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE, ON NOV. 13 READ MOST OF THE TRANSLATION OF THE ARTICLE TO SOVIET AMBASSADOR MIKHAIL MENSHIKOV.

DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS TELLING OF THEIR MEETING SAID MURPHY REPORTED THEN THE EXISTENCE OF THE RECORDING OF THE SOVIET PILOTS' RADIO CONVERSATION AND OFFERED TO PLAY IT. MENSHIKOV, IT WAS RELATED, SAID THAT HE WOULDN'T UNDERSTAND IT, SO MURPHY GAVE HIM A TRANSCRIPT OF THE RECORDING, IN RUSSIAN.

MENSHIKOV ALSO WAS REPORTED TO HAVE ASKED MURPHY WHETHER THE AVIATION NEWSPAPER ARTICLE ENTITLED "GREAT SKILL: A SWIFT ATTACK" WAS FICTION. THAT WAS SAID TO HAVE BEEN HIS ONLY COMMENT.

DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THEY DID NOT INTEND TO GIVE UP IN THEIR EFFORTS TO FIND OUT WHAT HAPPENED TO THE OTHER 11 OF THE 17 BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN ABOARD THE PLANE.

THE REMAINS OF SIX WERE DELIVERED BY SOVIET AUTHORITIES TO U. S. AUTHORITIES ON THE SOVIET-TURKISH BORDER SEPT. 24.

FOUR OF THE BODIES COULD BE IDENTIFIED AND THEY WERE TURNED OVER TO RELATIVES LAST FALL AND WERE BURIED IN ACCORD WITH THEIR FAMILIES' WISHES.

TWO, UNIDENTIFIED, ARE TO BE GIVEN BURIAL WITH MILITARY HONORS TOMORROW IN ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY. THE TIMING OF THEIR FUNERAL WAS GIVEN AS ONE OF THE REASONS FOR THE RELEASE OF THE TAPE RECORDING TODAY.

WHILE PRESS OFFICER WHITE REFUSED TO GIVE ANY INFORMATION ABOUT HOW THE RECORDING WAS OBTAINED, HE SAID IT WAS MADE ON THE SAME DAY AND AT THE SAME TIME AS THE ALLEGED SHOOTING DOWN OF THE U. S. AIRCRAFT.

THE DESTRUCTION OF THE PLANE HAD BEEN REPORTED PARTIALLY OBSERVED BY PERSONS INSIDE THE TURKISH BORDER AT LEAST TO THE EXTENT THAT SOVIET FIGHTER CRAFT WERE SEEN MANEUVERING ABOUT THE BIG TRANSPORT. IT WAS SAID TO HAVE DISAPPEARED IN THE VICINITY OF ALAGOZ MOUNTAIN FROM WHERE A THUNDEROUS EXPLOSION WAS HEARD AND A BLACK COLUMN OF SMOKE WAS SEEN TO ASCEND.

UNITED STATES SPOKESMEN HAVE INSISTED FROM THE BEGINNING THAT THE PLANE WANDERED OFF COURSE AND DID NOT DELIBERATELY GO ACROSS THE SOVIET BORDER.

TODAY OFFICIALS SAID THAT IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN MISLED BY RADIO BEAMS FROM THE SOVIET CITIES OF BATUMI AND POTI, AS WELL AS ANOTHER SOVIET BEAM AT URUVAN. THOSE VARIOUS BEAMS ARE CLOSE TO THE FREQUENCIES USED BY BEACONS AT THE TURKISH RADIO CONTROL CENTERS WHICH SERVED AS NAVIGATION POINTS ON THE FLIGHT PLAN OF THE TRANSPORT.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS WERE ASKED WHAT EFFECT THE RELEASE OF THIS RECORDING MIGHT HAVE ON POTENTIAL SOVIET-U. S. NEGOTIATIONS.

THESE INCLUDE NEGOTIATIONS OVER EUROPEAN AND GERMAN ISSUES. THE REPLY WAS THAT THE DISCLOSURE OF THE SPOKEN RECORD OF COMBAT SHOULD NOT HAVE ANY GREATER IMPACT THAN WHAT OFFICIALS CALLED THE ORIGINAL SHOOTING DOWN OF THE PLANE.

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PLANE-SOVIET REACTION (300)
WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)-TRANSLATED EXCERPTS FROM THE TALK BETWEEN SOVIET FIGHTER PILOTS AS ONE OF THEM SHOT DOWN AN UNARMED U.S. TRANSPORT WITH 17 MEN ABOARD WERE READ TODAY TO A RAPPLY LISTENING SENATE.

SEN. FRANK J. LAUSCHE (D-OHIO) DID THE READING FROM A TRANSLATION RELEASED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND CALLED IT "VERY SHOCKING INFORMATION."

EARLIER THE NEWS OF THE RECORDED EVIDENCE OF A DELIBERATE WARLIKE ATTACK HAD SET OFF DEMANDS AT THE CAPITOL FOR STEPPED-UP U.S. DEFENSE EFFORT.

AND HENRY CABOT LODGE, U.S. REPRESENTATIVE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID OF THE ATTACK THAT "ACTIONS LIKE THESE BY THE SOVIETS SPEAK LOUDER THAN WORDS."

TALKING WITH A REPORTER BEFORE TESTIFYING BEFORE THE SENATE DISARMAMENT SUBCOMMITTEE, LODGE SAID IT IS TYPICAL OF THE SOVIETS TO "MIX THEIR SWEET TALK WITH ACTIONS LIKE THIS."

LAUSCHE RECALLED HIS CONVERSATION WITH ANASTAS I. MIKOYAN, DEPUTY SOVIET PREMIER, DURING A RECENT COURTESY LUNCHEON FOR THE VISITING COMMUNIST LEADER BY SENATORS.

"I ASKED MIKOYAN ABOUT THE MYSTERY SURROUNDING THE AMERICAN PLANE AND THE MISSING BOYS," LAUSCHE TOLD THE SENATE.

HE QUOTED MIKOYAN AS REPLYING THERE WAS NO MYSTERY, THAT THE SOVIET FOUND THE PLANE AND RETURNED SIX BODIES.

"I ASKED MIKOYAN WHERE ARE THE OTHER 11 WHO WERE ABOARD?" LAUSCHE CONTINUED.

"YOU HAVE NO FAITH IN US," WAS MIKOYAN'S REPLY, THE SENATOR SAID. LAUSCHE SAID THE CASE MUST BE REMEMBERED WHEN THIS NATION IS ASKED TO TAKE THE WORD OF THE SOVIET OR CONSIDER CONCILIATORY MOVES BY THE KREMLIN.

SEN. STUART SYMINGTON (D-MO) CALLED THE RUSSIAN ACTION "SAD AND REPREHENSIBLE" AND RENEWED HIS DEMANDS FOR GREATER U.S. MILITARY FORCES.

SEN. HENRY M. JACKSON (D-WASH) SAID THE ATTACK WAS INVITED "BY OUR WEAKENING MILITARY POSTURE" AT HOME.

"IT BECOMES MORE AND MORE CLEAR THAT SOME DAY WE WILL HAVE TO TAKE A STAND AGAINST THE GROWING COMMUNIST AGGRESSION," SYMINGTON TOLD A REPORTER.

"WE WILL NEVER PUT OURSELVES IN A PROPER POSITION TO TAKE THAT STAND BY TAILORING OUR DEFENSE TO A BALANCED BUDGET."

JACKSON SAID THAT THE "WEAKER THE UNITED STATES BECOMES, THE MORE ADVENTURESOME THEY (THE RUSSIANS) BECOME."

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(330) PLANE-VOICES

BY ELTON C. FAY

WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)-THE RUSSIAN VOICES SOUND STRANGE AND GRUFF AS THEY PUNCTUATE THE TAUT SILENCE.

THEY ARE THOSE OF SOVIET AIR FORCE JET PILOTS WHO, THIS GOVERNMENT SAYS, GUNNED DOWN AN UNARMED U.S. AIR FORCE TRANSPORT PLANE CARRYING 17 MEN *Last Sept. 20*

I LISTENED TO A PORTION OF THE TAPE RECORDING MADE, BY UNDISCLOSED MEANS, OF TALKS BETWEEN THE RED AIRMEN. THE WHOLE TAPE RECORDING COVER ALMOST 20 MINUTES.

MUCH OF IT IS SILENCE, LONG MINUTES WHEN THERE IS ONLY THE FAINT BACKGROUND HUM OF A RADIO CARRIER WAVE AS THE JET PLANES FLY ON.

TO AN EAR UNFAMILIAR WITH THE RUSSIAN LANGUAGE, THE VOICES SEEM ALMOST IN MONOTONE. IT IS DIFFICULT TO CATCH THE INFLECTIONS OF EMOTION. A TRANSLATION PROVIDED BY THE PENTAGON AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT GIVES THE GRUFF, GROWLING SYLLABLES TERRIFYING MEANING.

IT STARTS CALMLY, ROUTINELY. PILOTS HAVE TAKEN OFF, ARE HEADED TOWARD THE POINT WHERE THE RED RADAR DETECTED THE U.S. PLANE AS IT WANDERED OFF COURSE AND OVER THE BORDER INTO RUSSIA. THE WORDS ARE THOSE OF FIGHTER PILOTS HEADED ON A MISSION . . . THEY CLIMB . . . "ALTITUDE 100 . . . HEADING 330 (DEGREES)."

THEY NEAR THE INTERCEPTION POINT. THE WORDS COME SHORT, CLEAR. THEY SEE THE QUARRY. THERE IS NO MISTAKE. THEY KNOW IT ISN'T AN ARMED BOMBER. A HARSH RUSSIAN VOICE SPEAKS -- "THE TARGET IS A TRANSPORT, FOUR-ENGINE."

NOW THE VOICES ARE SHARPER. EVEN WITHOUT UNDERSTANDING THE WORDS, THE TONE HAS MEANING.

ONE VOICE BARKS THREE WORDS -- "ATTACK, ATTACK, ATTACK."

IN THE INTERVALS BETWEEN THE VOICES THERE ARE SOUNDS WHICH MIGHT BE THE FIRING OF MACHINE GUNS OR ROCKETS. IT IS MORE PROBABLE THIS IS RADIO INTERFERENCE. FIGHTER PILOTS TALK THROUGH THROAT MICROPHONES WHICH PICK UP NO OUTSIDE SOUND.

NOW THE MISSION IS ALMOST OVER. THE GROWLING VOICE SPEAKS AGAIN: "THE TARGET IS BURNING." ANOTHER VOICE: "YES, HE IS FALLING, I WILL FINISH HIM OFF, BOYS, I WILL FINISH HIM OFF ON THE RUN."

IT IS OVER. THE VOICE WHICH SPOKE EARLIER COMES AGAIN: "FORM UP, GO HOME."

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(300) WITH PLANE-SOVIET
WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)-THE UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS OF TWO U. S. AIRMEN, VICTIMS OF THE RUSSIAN ATTACK ON THEIR PLANE LAST SEPTEMBER, WILL BE BURIED WITH FULL MILITARY HONORS TOMORROW IN ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY.

THE AIR FORCE WAS ABLE TO IDENTIFY ONLY FOUR OF THE SIX BODIES THE RUSSIANS TURNED OVER TO U. S. OFFICIALS SEPT. 24 AS RECOVERED IN ARMENIA FROM A CRASHED U. S. TRANSPORT.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT CHARGED TODAY THE UNARMED TRANSPORT WITH 17 MEN ABOARD WAS SHOT DOWN BY SOVIET FIGHTERS. TO BACK UP ITS CHARGE, THE DEPARTMENT DISCLOSED THE UNITED STATES HAS A RECORDING OF RADIO EXCHANGE BETWEEN ATTACKING SOVIET FIGHTER CRAFT. THE RUSSIANS HAVE DENIED THEY KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THE 11 OTHER MEN.

TOMORROW'S CEREMONY IN ARLINGTON, STARTING AT 11 A.M. EST, WILL BE ATTENDED BY SENIOR MEMBERS OF THE AIRFORCE HEADQUARTERS STAFF. PROTESTANT AND ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPLAINS, REPRESENTING RELIGIOUS FAITHS OF THE 17 MEN ABOARD THE PLANE, WILL CONDUCT THE SERVICES.

THE FOUR IDENTIFIED BODIES WERE TURNED OVER TO THEIR FAMILIES LAST FALL AND WERE BURIED ACCORDING TO THE WISHES OF THEIR NEXT OF KIN.

THESE FOUR WERE CAPT. RUDY J. SWIESTRA, COMPTON, CALIF.; 1ST LT. JOHN E. SIMPSON, RICHLAND, WASH.; 1ST LT. RICARDO M. VILLARREAL, LAREDO, TEX., AND CAPT. EDWARD J. JERUSS, NEW HAVEN, CONN.

THE OTHERS ABOARD THE PLANE WERE:
CAPT. PAUL E. DUNCAN, ~~WASHINGTON, D.C.~~ *Richland, Wash.*

SGT. LEROY PRICE, HODGEVILLE, KY.
TECH. SGT. ARTHUR L. MELLO, OF ERIE, PA.

MASTER SGT. GEORGE P. PETROCHILLOS, LEVITTOWN, PA.

AIRCRAFTSMAN 1/C ROBERT J. OSHINSKIE, SHAMOKIN, PA.

AIRCRAFTSMAN 2/C JAMES E. FERGUSON JR., LA PORTE, IND.

ASC JOE L. FIELDS, CYNTHIA, KY.

ASC GERALD C. MAGGIACOMO, EVERETT, MASS.

ASC HAROLD T. CAMPS, COLEMAN, WIS.

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ASC ROBERT H. MOORE, WEST MONROE, LA.
ASC ARCHIE T. BOURG, BATON ROUGE, LA.
ASC CLEMENT O. MANKINS, FAYETTE, PA.
ASC GERALD H. MEDEIROS, NEW BEDFORD, MASS.
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NIGHT LEAD SOVIET
BY A. I. GOLDBERG

MOSCOW, FEB. 5 (AP)-NIKITA S KHRUSHCHEV TODAY URGED PRESIDENT EISENHOWER TO VISIT THE SOVIET UNION AND CHALLENGED THE UNITED STATES TO PARTICIPATE IN MAKING WEST BERLIN A FREE CITY UNDER UNITED NATIONS RESPONSIBILITY.

WINDING UP THE 10-DAY COMMUNIST PARTY CONGRESS, THE SOVIET PREMIER COMPARED THE BERLIN CRISIS WITH A BURNING FUSE IN A POWDER KEG.

"WHY SHOULD WE PRESERVE SUCH A SITUATION?" HE ASKED. "WOULD IT NOT BE BETTER TO PUT OUT THE FUSE? IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT TO FIND ANOTHER SOLUTION THAT WOULD BE IN THE INTERESTS OF THE TWO GERMAN STATES AND AT THE SAME TIME WOULD NOT BE OFFENSIVE OR DO DAMAGE TO OTHER INTERESTED POWERS. THE CONVERSION OF WEST BERLIN INTO A FREE CITY IS SUCH A SOLUTION."

THE WEST HAS REFUSED TO CONSIDER THIS PLAN. BUT KHRUSHCHEV LINKED IT TO THE WHOLE SITUATION CONCERNING DIVIDED GERMANY. DOING AWAY WITH THIS POINT OF TENSION, HE SAID, WOULD EASE EAST-WEST RELATIONS. BUT ON THE QUESTION OF A REUNIFIED GERMANY, KHRUSHCHEV ADDED, IN AN ASIDE TO WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR ADENAUER:

"IF YOU MAKE YOUR CONDITION THE ABOLITION OR ABSORPTION OF THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC, THE ABOLITION OF THE SOCIAL GAINS OF THE WORKING PEOPLE OF THE G.D.R., THAT IS A CONDITION WE CANNOT EVEN DISCUSS."

KHRUSHCHEV SPOKE WITH THE KNOWLEDGE THAT BRIGAIN'S PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN WILL VISIT HERE 16 DAYS HENCE. IN URGING EISENHOWER TO FOLLOW, THE SOVIET LEADER OBSERVED:

"IF THE PRESIDENT SHOULD WISH TO COME TO OUR COUNTRY HE WOULD BE RECEIVED WITH HEARTFELT HOSPITALITY BOTH BY OUR GOVERNMENT AND THE SOVIET PEOPLE. HE CAN TAKE ALONG ANYONE HE LIKES. THEY WILL ALL BE WELCOME GUESTS."

"LET THE PRESIDENT STUDY A MAP OF THE SOVIET UNION AND PICK OUT THE PLACES IN OUR COUNTRY HE WOULD LIKE TO VISIT. OURS IS A BIG COUNTRY AND THERE ARE MANY INTERESTING PLACES IN IT WORTH VISITING AND SEEING. HIS VISIT WOULD UNEQUESTIONABLY BE USEFUL TO BOTH OUR COUNTRIES AND WOULD SURELY BE APPROVED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE U.S.A. AND THE SOVIET UNION."

"WE ARE EXTENDING THIS INVITATION WITHOUT INSISTONG ON RECIPROCITY."

THIS REMARK SEEMED TO REFLECT ANNOYANCE AT NEWS THAT EISENHOWER HAD REJECTED THE IDEA OF A KHRUSHCHEV VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES SIMILAR TO THE TOUR MADE RECENTLY BY FIRST DEPUTY PREMIER ANASTAS I. MIKOYAN. KHRUSHCHEV SAID HE WOULD NOT HAVE THE TIME TO MAKE SUCH A VISIT ANYWAY, BUT "IT IS NOT A MATTER OF MY WANTING TO GO TO THE UNITED STATES, BUT OF SOMETHING ENTIRELY DIFFERENT -- THE RIGHTS OF MAN."

"I FAIL TO UNDERSTAND WHAT IT IS THAT MAKES THE PRESIDENT DEPRIVE ME OF SOMETHING THAT OTHERS ARE ACCORDED, WHO ARE ALLOWED TO VISIT THAT COUNTRY," KHRUSHCHEV SAID.

(THE WHITE HOUSE HAD NO COMMENT).

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SAYING HE IS INTERESTED PRINCIPALLY IN ENDING THE COLD WAR, KHRUSHCHEV ADDRESSED HIMSELF TO SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES IN THIS WAY:

"IF YOU INSIST, MR. DULLES, WE ARE PREPARED FOR THE SAKE OF ENDING THE COLD WAR TO CONCEDE 'VICTORY' IN THIS 'WAR,' WHICH BODES NO GOOD TO THE PEOPLE OR TO YOU. GENTLEMEN, CONSIDER YOURSELVES THE VICTORS IN THIS WAR, JUST SO YOU END IT FORTHWITH."

THE SOVIET CHIEF PROMISED HIS COUNTRY "WILL DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO IMPROVE RELATIONS" WITH THE UNITED STATES. IF AMERICAN POLITICAL LEADERS REALLY WANT PEACE AS THEY TOLD MIKOYAN, KHRUSHCHEV ADDED, THEY WILL "RECOGNIZE THE BASIS OF PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE."

KHRUSHCHEV SAID RECENT SPEECHES BY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER, VICE PRESIDENT NIXON AND OTHER AMERICANS GAVE HIM THE IMPRESSION THEY WERE REVERTING TO OLD BELLICOSE TERMINOLOGY AND THAT SOME PERSONS

IN THE UNITED STATES SEEMED TO BE TRYING TO NULLIFY ANY THAW IN THE COLD WAR. AMERICAN GENERALS AND STRATEGISTS LIVE IN A "FOOL'S PARADISE" IF THEY THINK THE UNITED STATES WILL REMAIN INVULNERABLE IN A NEW WAR, HE SAID, CONTINUING:

"IN POINT OF FACT, THE SOVIET UNION TODAY HAS THE MANES TO DELIVER A CRUSHING BLOW TO THE AGGRESSOR AT ANY POINT OF THE GLOBE."

EXPANDING ON HIS BERLIN PROPOSALS, KHRUSHCHEV PRESENTED A FORMULA HE OFFERED NOV. 27 FOR A DEMILITARIZED WEST BERLIN UNDER U.N. AUSPICES. WEST BERLIN, 110 MILES INSIDE COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY, IS OFFICIALLY PART OF WEST GERMANY NOW.

KHRUSHCHEV SAID THE U.S.S.R. WOULD BE WILLING TO GUARANTEE THE CITY'S CORRIDORS TO THE WORLD OUTSIDE.

HE CONTENTED NEITHER ONE SIDE NOR THE OTHER WOULD DERIVE ANY MATERIAL ADVANTAGE IF SOVIET PROPOSALS WERE ACCEPTED, BUT CONDITIONS WOULD BE CREATED FOR ENDING THE COLD WAR, SOLVING DISARMAMENT PROBLEMS AND EASING RELATIONS.

SPEAKING OF THE GENEVA CONFERENCE ON NUCLEAR TESTS, KHRUSHCHEV SAID THE U.S.S.R. NEVER WOULD AGREE TO WESTERN PROPOSALS FOR CONTROL POSTS TO DETECT EXPLOSIONS. HE PICTURED THE WEST'S PROPOSALS AS AIMED AT LACING COMMUNIST TERRITORY WITH INTELLIGENCE AGENTS.

THE 21ST COMMUNIST CONGRESS ENDED WITHOUT ANY MENTION OF PUNISHMENT FOR THE ANTIPARTY GROUP SO SEVERELY DENOUNCED DURING THE MEETING. BUT THE CONGRESS ENDORSED KHRUSHCHEV'S OUSTER OF THE GROUP FROM LEADERSHIP.

THE 1,375 DELEGATES ENDORSED ALL KHRUSHCHEV'S POLICIES, INCLUDING HIS OUTLINE FOR A SEVEN-YEAR ECONOMIC PLAN AND A PROGRAM INTENDED TO OUTDISTANCE THE UNITED STATES IN PER CAPITA PRODUCTION AFTER 1965.

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SOVIET INTERPRETIVE (480)
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THE 21ST SOVIET COMMUNIST CONGRESS TURNED A STRONG SPOTLIGHT ON TWO DEVELOPMENTS.

ONE IS THE EMERGENCE OF WHAT SEEMS TO BE A KHRUSHCHEV CULT, SLOWLY BURGEONING FROM WHAT REMAINS OF COLLECTIVE LEADERSHIP.

THE OTHER IS NIKITA S. KHRUSHCHEV'S APPARENT DETERMINATION TO CENTER WORLD ATTENTION ON BERLIN AND GERMANY AS THREATS TO PEACE.

THE TWO DEVELOPMENTS ARE CLOSELY RELATED. KHRUSHCHEV IS NOT SECURE AS BOSS OF THE U.S.S.R. AND WORLD COMMUNISM'S SPOKESMAN. HE NEEDS TIME TO NAIL DOWN HIS AUTHORITY. GERMANY CAN PROVIDE THE TIME.

THE GERMAN PROBLEM ACTUALLY BECOMES A WEAPON FOR KHRUSHCHEV AGAINST POTENTIAL OPPOSITION.

NOT ALL THAT HAPPENED IN THE CONGRESS WAS REPORTED. THE OUTSIDE WORLD STILL DOES NOT KNOW WHAT WILL BECOME OF THE ANTIPARTY GROUP DENOUNCED IN THE SESSIONS. THE OUTSIDE WORLD CAN ONLY GUESS, TOO, AT WHAT WENT ON IN STRATEGY CONFERENCES WITH PARTY REPRESENTATIVES FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD.

BUT THE CONGRESS LEFT AN IMPRESSION THAT OPPOSITION TO KHRUSHCHEV STILL EXISTS. IT APPEARS TO SPRING FROM A STRANGE ASSORTMENT--DIEHARD STALINISTS FEARFUL OF KHRUSHCHEV'S POLITICAL RECKLESSNESS, INTELLECTUALS HATING THE MEMORY OF STALIN, BUREAUCRATS JEALOUS OF PROVINCIAL ENCROACHMENTS ON THEIR PREROGATIVES.

STATISTICS EMERGING FROM THE CONGRESS INDICATE KHRUSHCHEV, IN THE THREE YEARS SINCE THE 20TH CONGRESS, ACCOMPLISHED SOMETHING SIMILAR TO STALIN'S SO-CALLED LENIN ENROLLMENT OF 1924. PARTY MEMBERSHIP SWELLED BY MORE THAN A MILLION IN THREE YEARS. NEW MEMBERS--MANY PROLETARIAN WORKERS AND PEASANTS EASY FOR KHRUSHCHEV TO HANDLE--ARE BEING DEPLOYED ALL THROUGH THE PARTY AND GOVERNMENT APPARATUS. BY WEIGHT OF NUMBERS THEY MAY BE ABLE TO OVERWHELM THE INTELLECTUALS, BUREAUCRATS AND STALINISTS.

RESOLUTIONS AND SPEECHES POINTED TO CAUTIOUS CONSTRUCTION OF THE KHRUSHCHEV CULT. RESOLUTIONS STRESSED "CREATIVE APPLICATION" OF LENINIST THEORY--AN APPLICATION COMING FROM KHRUSHCHEV HIMSELF IN A NEW ROLE AS THEORIST.

TYPICAL OF THE CULT-BUILDING EFFORT WAS THE SPEECH OF PAVEL YUDIN, SOVIET AMBASSADOR TO RED CHINA. HE SAID ANYONE WHO WANTS TO UNDERSTAND THE MEANING OF COMMUNISM "MUST NOT ONLY STUDY THE CLASSICS OF MARXISM BUT ALSO THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE 21ST CONGRESS." KHRUSHCHEV'S REPORT WAS "A LANDMARK IN THE LIFE OF OUR PARTY, OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNIST MOVEMENT." KHRUSHCHEV'S THEORIES "WILL GO DOWN AS A NEW PAGE IN THE THEORY OF SCIENTIFIC COMMUNISM."

THIS SOUNDS MUCH LIKE WHAT ONCE WAS SAID ABOUT STALIN. KHRUSHCHEV IS UNLIKELY TO LET THE GERMAN QUESTION EXPLODE. HE IS EQUALLY UNLIKELY TO PERMIT SETTLEMENT ON ANY GROUNDS ACCEPTABLE TO THE UNITED STATES.

GERMANY IS PICTURED AS THE GREATEST THREAT TO SOVIET SECURITY. THE EXCUSE FOR CONCENTRATION ON SOVIET POWER. IT ALSO WILL BE USEFUL AS A MEANS OF FRIGHTENING AMERICA'S ALLIES.

DOES KHRUSHCHEV INTEND TO SEEK A REAL SOLUTION IN GERMANY? FOR EVERY PROPOSAL HE ADVANCED, THERE WAS A QUALIFICATION. HE WAS NOT AGAINST FREE ELECTIONS FOR ALL GERMANY, SO LONG AS NOTHING BE DONE TO ABOLISH COMMUNISM IN EAST GERMANY.

KHRUSHCHEV OFFERED TO CONCEDE VICTORY TO THE UNITED STATES IN THE COLD WAR, BUT ON TERMS WHICH ACTUALLY WOULD MEAN VICTORY FOR COMMUNISM.

KHRUSHCHEV PROBABLY DOES NOT WANT TO RISK WORLD WAR III. BUT ANY REAL INTENTION OF ENDING THE COLD WAR REMAINS IN DOUBT. HE SEEMS TO NEED IT, BOTH FOR INTERNAL SOVIET AND EXTERNAL REASONS.

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NIGHT LEAD MACMILLAN-DULLES

BY GARVEN HUDGINS

LONDON, FEB. 5 (AP)--PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN ANNOUNCED TODAY HE IS GOING TO MOSCOW FEB. 21 FOR A VISIT THAT HE HOPES WILL TAKE SOME CHILL OUT OF THE COLD WAR. WITH THE BLESSING OF BRITAIN'S NATO ALLIES, HE EXPECTS TO STAY A WEEK OR 10 DAYS.

"WE AND OUR ALLIES MAY BE BETTER ABLE THEN TO JUDGE WHAT OUR POLICIES AND ACTIONS SHOULD BE," HE TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS. "MY PRINCIPAL PURPOSE WILL BE TO TRY TO DISPEL MISCONCEPTIONS AND ESTABLISH SOME BASIS FOR BETTER UNDERSTANDING."

IN MOSCOW, PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV EXPRESSED HOPE THAT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER WILL ALSO ACCEPT A SOVIET INVITATION FOR A VISIT. BUT THERE WAS NO INDICATION IN WASHINGTON THAT EISENHOWER WAS CONSIDERING SUCH A TRIP.

MACMILLAN, A SHREWD SALESMAN, WILL BE SPEAKING ONLY FOR BRITAIN IN HIS CONTACTS WITH SOVIET LEADERS. BUT HIS MISSION TO MOSCOW IS A SORT OF SCOUTING TRIP FOR ALL THE ALLIES.

FOREIGN SECRETARY SELWYN LLOYD WILL ACCOMPANY HIM.

THE 64-YEAR-OLD PRIME MINISTER MADE HIS ANNOUNCEMENT AFTER TWO DAYS OF TALKS WITH U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES IN WHICH NEW IDEAS ON THE GERMAN ISSUE WERE FULLY DISCUSSED.

DULLES DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS VERY SATISFIED WITH THE RESULTS. THEN HE FLEW ON IN A U.S. AIR FORCE CONSTELLATION TO PARIS, WHERE HE WILL CONFER TOMORROW WITH PRESIDENT DE GAULLE. NEXT WILL COME WEEKEND CONSULTATIONS IN BONN.

MACMILLAN EMPHASIZED HIS AIM IS TO SOUND OUT THE KREMLIN'S VIEWS ON WESTERN PROPOSALS FOR AVERTING A HOT WAR--AND NOT TO CONDUCT FORMAL NEGOTIATIONS.

"RECENT INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENTS HAVE MADE ME FEEL A VISIT AT THE PRESENT TIME WOULD BE OF VALUE," HE SAID. "WE ARE IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH OUR ALLIES ABOUT HOW BEST TO HANDLE THE SERIOUS ISSUES WHICH FACE US IN EUROPE. ON THESE WE MUST ACT TOGETHER."

"WE HOPE OUR CONVERSATIONS WITH SOVIET LEADERS WILL GIVE THEM BETTER KNOWLEDGE OF OUR POINT OF VIEW AND MAKE IT EASIER FOR US TO UNDERSTAND WHAT IS IN THEIR MINDS."

"WE AND OUR ALLIES MAY BE BETTER ABLE THEN TO JUDGE WHAT OUR POLICIES AND ACTIONS SHOULD BE"

"WHAT WE HAVE TO DO IS, WITH OUR ALLIES, WORK OUT POSITIONS WHICH MIGHT LEAD TO THE SOLUTION OF THE VERY DIFFICULT AND ALMOST DANGEROUS SITUATION WHICH MIGHT DEVELOP IN EUROPE."

"AFTERWARD, I SHOULD HOPE TO CONSULT IN BONN, OR PARIS, OR WASHINGTON.... WE ARE MAKING CONTINUAL CONSULTATIONS BETWEEN NOW AND THE TIME I GO AND, I HOPE, AFTER I RETURN."

BOTH HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT CHEERED MACMILLAN'S ANNOUNCEMENT. CONSERVATIVES AND LABORITES JOINED IN EXPRESSING WARM APPROVAL OF HIS CHOSEN ROLE AS AN INTERNATIONAL PEACEMAKER.

DIPLOMATIC SOURCES EXPECTED MACMILLAN'S TRIP, IF SUCCESSFUL COULD SMOOTH THE WAY FOR A HIGH LEVEL EAST-WEST MEETING--PERHAPS AT THE SUMMIT.

AMERICAN SOURCES CLOSE TO DULLES SAID THE UNITED STATES WAS INFORMED IN ADVANCE OF MACMILLAN'S INTENTION TO GO TO MOSCOW, ADDING:

"WE HOPE AND BELIEVE HIS TRIP WILL BE SUCCESSFUL."

DIPLOMATS EXPRESSED BELIEF MACMILLAN WILL SEEK A BASIS FOR GETTING EAST-WEST TALKS STARTED WITH RUSSIA ON GERMAN REUNIFICATION AND EUROPEAN SECURITY.

IT IS BELIEVED HE WILL CARRY WITH HIM SOME EXPANDED ALLIED IDEAS ON PROPOSALS FOR REDUCING MILITARY FORCES INSIDE GERMANY AND ESTABLISHING AN INSPECTION SYSTEM FOR THESE FORCES. THE TRIP WILL MARK THE FIRST MEETING OF THE ELEGANT MACMILLAN, HEIR TO A PUBLISHING EMPIRE, AND KHRUSHCHEV, A BLACKSMITH'S SON, AS GOVERNMENT CHIEFS. THEY MET IN OTHER ROLES, HOWEVER, WHEN A SOVIET DELEGATION VISITED BRITAIN IN APRIL 1956. THAT DELEGATION WAS HEADED BY KHRUSHCHEV AS SOVIET COMMUNIST PARTY BOSS AND NIKOLAI BULGANIN AS SOVIET PREMIER. MACMILLAN WAS BRITAIN'S DEFENSE MINISTER IN A CABINET HEADED BY SIR ANTHONY EDEN. THE ORIGINAL INVITATION FOR THE RETURN VISIT WAS MADE BY BULGANIN TO EDEN. BULGANIN HAS SINCE FALLEN INTO DISGRACE. EDEN QUIT AS PRIME MINISTER ON GROUNDS OF ILL HEALTH SOON AFTER COLLAPSE OF THE BRITISH-FRENCH INVASION OF SUEZ.

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WITH LONDON MACMILLAN (120)
MOSCOW, FEB. 5 (AP)-PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN'S FEB. 21 TRIP TO MOSCOW WILL BE THE FIRST BY THE HEAD OF A BRITISH GOVERNMENT SINCE WINSTON CHURCHILL'S VISITS IN WORLD WAR II. THE SOVIET UNION IS EXPECTED TO MAKE THE MOST OF IT. BRITISH AMBASSADOR SIR PATRICK REILLY TOLD WESTERN CORRESPONDENTS HE PRESUMES THE TRIP "WILL BE A SORT OF VOYAGE OF DISCOVERY TO LEARN WHAT IS IN THE RUSSIANS' MINDS." HE EXPECTS MACMILLAN TO MAKE A TOUR PERHAPS TO KIEV AND LENINGRAD, BUT TO SPEND MOST OF HIS TIME IN MOSCOW.

THE TRADITIONAL PATTERN CALLS FOR AN OFFICIAL WELCOME AT THE AIRPORT, AT LEAST ONE PARTY AT THE BRITISH EMBASSY, A SPECIAL GALA PERFORMANCE AT THE BOLSHOI THEATER, A TRIP TO THE UNITED ATOMIC RESEARCH CENTER AT DUBNA AND FINALLY A MASSIVE RECEPTION IN THE KREMLIN.

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WITH LONDON
PARIS, FEB. 5 (AP)-PREMIER MICHEL DEBRE HAS CALLED OFF THE TRIP HE PLANNED TO MAKE TO LONDON SHORTLY, GOVERNMENT SOURCES SAID TONIGHT. HIS MEETING IN LONDON WITH PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN WILL TAKE PLACE AFTER MACMILLAN RETURNS FROM HIS MOSCOW TRIP.

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LONDON, FEB. 5 (AP)-MORE THAN 60 LABORITE LEGISLATORS SIGNED A PARLIAMENTARY MOTION TONIGHT DEMANDING A FOUR-POWER CONFERENCE TO SEEK TERMS FOR REUNIFYING GERMANY UNDER A FREELY ELECTED GOVERNMENT.

THE RESOLUTION WILL BE DISCUSSED AT SOME FUTURE DATE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS. IT TAKES THE FORM OF AN AMENDMENT TO A PREVIOUS LABORITE MOTION ENTITLED "GERMANY--DISENGAGEMENT AND PEACE."

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DULLES (160)
PARIS, FEB. 5 (AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES FLEW HERE TODAY TO INSURE THAT ANY NEW WESTERN IDEAS FOR EAST-WEST TALKS ON GERMANY BE DEVELOPED WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF ALLIED UNITY. FRESH FROM CONSULTATIONS IN LONDON, DULLES WILL BE IN PARIS 36 HOURS. THEN HE WILL GO ON TO MEET WITH WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER IN BONN.

"IT IS USEFUL THAT THESE TALKS SHOULD BE HELD WHILE WE ARE IN THE FORMATIVE STAGES OF OUR THINKING," DULLES TOLD NEWSMEN. "THEY ARE NOT

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FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING DECISIONS BUT TO MAKE SURE THAT OUR IDEAS DEVELOP ALONG PARALLEL LINES."

BEFORE LEAVING LONDON HE SAID HIS TALKS WITH THE BRITISH WENT VERY WELL. HE SAID HE WAS SATISFIED WITH THE RESULTS.

DULLES WAS MET HERE BY FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER MAURICE COUVE DE MURVILLE AND U.S. AMBASSADOR AMORY HOUGHTON.

HE IS TO SEE PRESIDENT DE GAULLE AND PREMIER MICHEL DEBRE TOMORROW. TOP ITEM IN THE DISCUSSIONS IS CERTAIN TO BE THE RESULTS HOPED FOR FROM THE TRIP OF BRITISH PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN TO MOSCOW FEB. 21. THIS WAS THRASHED OUT BETWEEN DULLES AND MACMILLAN IN LONDON.

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NIGHT LEAD NUCLEAR (180)
BY TOM OCHILTREE

GENEVA, FEB. 5 (AP)-THE UNITED STATES ACCUSED THE SOVIET UNION TODAY OF BLOCKING ALL PROGRESS TOWARD A CONTROLLED SUSPENSION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTS.

IF THE THREE-POWER CONFERENCE ULTIMATELY FAILS, U.S. AMBASSADOR JAMES J. WADSWORTH IMPLIED, IT WILL BE BECAUSE OF THE UNYIELDING ATTITUDE EXHIBITED BY THE RUSSIANS SINCE THE OPENING OF THE TREATY NEGOTIATIONS OCT. 31.

WITH BRITISH BACKING, WADSWORTH ELABORATED AT TODAY'S 95-MINUTE SESSION ON A STATE DEPARTMENT STATEMENT ISSUED IN WASHINGTON TUESDAY. THAT STATEMENT CHARGED THAT RUSSIA'S INSISTENCE ON SWEEPING VETO RIGHTS OVER ALL INSPECTION AND CONTROL PROCEDURES "MAKES A SHAMBLES OF THE ENTIRE PROJECT" OF HALTING ATOMIC AND HYDROGEN WEAPONS TESTS.

SOVIET DELEGATE SEMYON TSARAPKIN REPLIED THAT RUSSIA WOULD ONLY ACCEPT A CONTROL SYSTEM BASED ON THE "PRINCIPLE OF UNANIMITY OF THE THREE ATOMIC POWERS"--MEANING THE VETO.

LATER, AT A NEWS CONFERENCE TSARAPKIN CHARGED THAT THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN ARE USING MANY MANEUVERS TO STALEMATE THE TALKS.

HE OBJECTED TO THE USE OF THE WORD VETO BY THE WESTERN POWERS TO DESCRIBE THE SOVIET VOTING PROPOSALS. WITHOUT UNANIMITY OF THE THREE NUCLEAR POWERS, TSARAPKIN SAID, "THE CONTROL ORGANIZATION WOULD BE UNWORKABLE."

THE SOVIET DELEGATE SAID THE WESTERN POWERS "HAVE SOUGHT TO BLACKEN SOVIET PROPOSALS AND THEIR CRIES ABOUT THE VETO ARE ARTIFICIALLY CREATED."

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PMS BUDGET (350)
NUCLEAR INTERPRETIVE
BY TOM OCHILTREE

GENEVA, FEB. 5 (AP)-THE FUTURE OF THE EAST-WEST CONFERENCE ON SUSPENSION OF NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS MAY HINGE NOW ON RUSSIAN ACCEPTANCE OF ONE SIMPLE IDEA--A SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENT KNOWS NO POLITICS.

AFTER THREE MONTHS OF NEGOTIATIONS, THE CONFERENCE OF DELEGATES FROM THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND THE SOVIET UNION REMAINS IN AN STATE OF DEADLOCK.

RUSSIA'S DEMAND FOR SWEEPING VETO RIGHTS OVER ALL INSPECTION AND CONTROL ARRANGEMENTS DESIGNED TO POLICE A TEST BAN NEVER WILL BE ACCEPTED BY THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN, CONFERENCE SOURCES SAY. AND THE SOVIET UNION FEARS THAT WITHOUT A VETO, THE OTHER TWO ATOMIC POWERS WOULD GANG UP ON IT.

THE WESTERN DELEGATIONS UNDERSTAND THIS SOVIET FEAR. THEY EXPLAINED HOWEVER, THAT A VETO WOULD MAKE ANY AGREEMENT TO AUSPEND TESTS MEANINGLESS.

A GOVERNMENT ACCUSED OF SNEAKING AN ATOMIC OR HYDROGEN EXPLOSION COULD VETO THE SENDING OF AN INSPECTION TEAM INTO ITS TERRITORY OR VETO THE FINDINGS RESULTING FROM AN ON-THE-SPOT INVESTIGATION. THE COUN TRY WOULD EVEN BE ABLE TO STRIKE AN ACCUSATION AGAINST IT FROM THE RECORDS.

WHAT AVENUES NOW ARE LEFT OPEN FOR THE CONFERENCE? CAN SOME SAFE WAY BE FOUND TO GIVE SOME SORT OF PARITY BETWEEN EAST AND WEST? CAN A SYSTEM BE WORKED OUT WHEREBY INSPECTION WOULD BE AUTOMATIC AND UNCOLORED BY POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS?

THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH DELEGATIONS FEEL IT MIGHT BE POSSIBLE TO MAKE CONTROL OF A TEST BAN DEPEND BASICALLY ON THE READINGS OF SUCH INSTRUMENTS AS SEISMOGRAPHS. STANDARDS MIGHT BE SET UP SO THAT INSPECTIONS WOULD TAKE PLACE AUTOMATICALLY WHEN A SPECIFIED NUMBER OF INSTRUMENTS IN CONTROL POSTS RECORDED A SUSPICIOUS DISTURBANCE. AS ONE SOURCE EXPLAINED, THE INSTRUMENTS THEMSELVES WOULD NOT LIE. THEY WOULD GO ON YEAR AFTER YEAR RECORDING DISTURBANCES IN ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

THE WESTERN DELEGATIONS HAVE RAISED THIS AUTOMATION IDEA IN THE CONFERENCE WITHOUT EVOKING ANY ENTHUSIASM FROM SOVIET DELEGATE SEMYON TSARAPKIN. BUT THE SAFEGUARDS SUCH A METHOD WOULD PROVIDE ALL THREE ATOMIC POWERS AGAINST FALSE ACCUSATIONS HAVE NOT YET BEEN FULLY SPELLED OUT.

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AMS BUDGET (650)
NIGHT LEAD MACKIN-CONVOY
BY JOHN FIEHN

HELMSTEDT, GERMANY, FEB. 5 (AP)--LT. RICHARD MACKIN, AN ARMY PILOT, AND FOUR SOLDIERS CAME BACK TO FREEDOM TODAY AFTER WEEKS OF CAPTIVITY IN SOVIET-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY.

LOOKING STRAINED AND WEARY, THEY WERE RELEASED ACROSS THE WEST GERMAN FRONTIER AT HERLESHAUSEN UNDER AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE AMERICAN RED CROSS AND THE EAST GERMAN RED CROSS.

MEANWHILE, FOUR TRUCKS CARRYING ROUTINE SUPPLIES MOVED WITHOUT DELAY THROUGH TWO SOVIET CHECKPOINTS ON THE 110-MILE AUTOBAHN BETWEEN BERLIN AND THE WEST AFTER THE UNITED STATES YESTERDAY SUCCESSFULLY RESISTED RUSSIAN ATTEMPTS TO INSPECT A CONVOY. SOVIET GUARDS DID NOT INSIST ON ON INSPECTING THE CARGOES. APPARENTLY THEY SATISFIED

THEMSELVES BY JUST GLANCING I ^{three of} TRUCKS.

THESE DEVELOPMENTS TOOK PLACE AS, IN MOSCOW, PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV WOUND UP THE 21ST COMMUNIST PARTY CONGRESS WITH A AN OFFER OF SOVIET GUARANTEES FOR WESTERN ACCESS TO BERLIN IF HIS PLAN FOR THE FUTURE OF BERLIN IS ADOPTED. THE WEST, THUS FAR, HAS DECLINED TO CONSIDER THE PLAN, CALLING FOR MAKING BERLIN A DEMILITARIZED FREE CITY UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS.

MACKIN, 27, FROM WASHINGTON, D.C., FELL INTO EAST GERMAN HANDS LAST DEC. 3 AFTER HE BECAME LOST WHILE FLYING NEAR THE WEST GERMAN BORDER AND PARACHUTED WHEN HIS SMALL PLANE RAN OUT OF GAS. THE FOUR OTHER SOLDIERS DISAPPEARED IN BERLIN DURING NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER OF LAST YEAR. THEY ARE PVT. ELWYN BELL OF HILL CITY, KAN., SP. KENNETH G. CARLSON OF SAN LEANDRO, CALIF., PVT. JAMES W. HAYES OF BALTIMORE,

MD., AND PVT. MELVIN HAMPTON JR., OF CLEBURNE, TEX.

ROBERT STOREY WILSON, EUROPEAN DIRECTOR OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS, ARRANGED THEIR RELEASE WITH THE EAST GERMAN RED CROSS. THE UNITED STATES DECLINES TO DEAL WITH THE EAST GERMAN REGIME, WHICH IT DOES NOT RECOGNIZE, AND MAINTAINS THAT RUSSIA IS OBLIGATED UNDER FOUR-POWER AGREEMENTS TO HANDLE SUCH CASES. WILSON TOLD REPORTERS HE PAID THE EAST GERMAN RED CROSS 4,500 MARKS (\$1,071) "DETENTION EXPENSES" FOR THE FIVE. *and the fourth five days ago*

MACKIN WORE ARMY FATIGUES AND A BELT CAP. THE FOUR SOLDIERS WERE IN CIVILIAN CLOTHES.

HAMPTON, 19, HAD BEEN HELD IN EAST GERMANY FOR FIVE DAYS. HE WAS ASSIGNED TO THE 6TH INFANTRY REGIMENT IN WEST BERLIN. BELL, 21, ASSIGNED TO THE SAME UNIT, DISAPPEARED THERE ON NOV. 25 OF LAST YEAR. THE ARMY BELIEVES HE ACCIDENTALLY STRAYED INTO EAST GERMANY WHILE RIDING THE ELEVATED RAILWAY IN BERLIN THAT GOES INTO THE SURROUNDING RUSSIAN ZONE.

CARLSON, 21, WAS ON LEAVE FROM THE 8TH INFANTRY REGIMENT IN WEST GERMANY WHEN HE WAS LAST SEEN IN WEST BERLIN NOV. 27. IT IS NOT KNOWN HOW HE GOT INTO EAST GERMANY. HAYES, ALSO 21, DISAPPEARED FROM THE 6TH INFANTRY REGIMENT IN BERLIN DEC. 26.

IN A COMMUNIQUE, THE EAST GERMAN PRESS OFFICE SAID CARLSON AND BELL ILLEGALLY CROSSED THE EAST GERMAN FRONTIER FROM WEST BERLIN AND THAT HAYES WAS ARRESTED IN EAST BERLIN WHEN HE TOOK A "STUBBORN ATTITUDE" TOWARD COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN POLICE.

IT ADDED THAT ONE OF THE SOLDIERS WHOM IT IDENTIFIED AS "KMELWIN" --PRESUMABLY MELWYN HAMPTON--REPORTED TO EAST GERMAN AUTHORITIES AND MADE STATEMENTS WHICH LATER PROVED TO BE FALSE.

IN BERLIN, THE RUSSIANS COMPLAINED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES RAISED TOO MUCH FUSS ABOUT THE TWO-DAY DETENTION OF THE AMERICAN ARMY CONVOY IN COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY. BUT DRIVERS OF THE FOUR ARMY TRUCKS SAID THEY HAD THE IMPRESSION THE RUSSIANS DELIBERATELY SET UP THE INCIDENT IN ADVANCE.

THE RED ARMY RELEASED THE CONVOY LAST NIGHT AFTER WASHINGTON SENT A STRONG PROTEST TO MOSCOW. THE STATE DEPARTMENT NOTE BRANDED DETENTION OF THE CONVOY A "CLEAR VIOLATION OF UNITED STATES' RIGHTS OF ACCESS TO BERLIN."

A SPOKESMAN AT THE SOVIET EMBASSY TOLD A REPORTER: "ALL THIS DIPLOMATIC ACTIVITY WAS NOT AT ALL NECESSARY. THE FACTS OF THE CASE DID NOT JUSTIFY SO MUCH EXCITEMENT. THE WHOLE THING WAS A TECHNICAL AND NOT A POLITICAL QUESTION. I AM SURE THAT THE QUESTION INVOLVED COULD HAVE BEEN SOLVED ON THE TECHNICAL LEVEL BY THE MILITARY MEN ALONE."

DRIVERS OF THE AMERICAN TRUCKS TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT WITHIN MINUTES OF ARRIVING AT THE SOVIET CHECKPOINT AT MARIENBORN THEY KNEW TROUBLE WAS BREWING.

SP4 ELWOOD F. JOHNSON OF BROOKLYN, N.Y., SAID FOR THE GROUP: "WE GOT THE IMPRESSION IT WAS PRE-ARRANGED." AND SP4 JAMES E. COOK OF HARDEEVILLE, S.C., SAID:

"IT LOOKED LIKE A HARASSING MANEUVER SO THE RUSSIANS AND EAST GERMANS COULD SHOW WHAT THEY COULD DO TO ALLIED TRAFFIC IN AND OUT OF BERLIN."

THE WESTERN BIG THREE REFUSE TO ALLOW TRAIN OR TRUCK CARGOES TO BE INSPECTED. THEY CLAIM THAT UNDER THE ORIGINAL 1945 AGREEMENT ON BERLIN THE RUSSIANS HAVE THE RIGHT ONLY TO CHECK MANIFEST PAPERS OF CONVOYS TRAVELING THE 110 MILES THROUGH COMMUNIST TERRITORY TO OR FROM BERLIN.

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WITH HELMSTEDT (540)
BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD

FRANKFURT, FEB. 5 (AP)—U.S. ARMY LT. RICHARD MACKIN SAID TODAY OFFICIALS IN COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY TOLD HIM HE WAS HELD THERE "BECAUSE OF THE NON-COOPERATION OF AMERICAN AUTHORITIES."

MACKIN AND FOUR AMERICAN SOLDIERS WERE RETURNED TO THE WEST TODAY AFTER WEEKS OF CAPTIVITY. MACKIN HAD BEEN HELD SINCE DEC. 3 AFTER HE PARACHUTED FROM HIS ARMY PLANE NEAR THE WEST GERMAN BORDER. HE HAD BECOME LOST AND HIS PLANE HAD RUN OUT OF GAS.

MACKIN, 27, OF WASHINGTON, D.C., TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE HAD ASKED HIS EAST GERMAN CAPTORS WHY HE WAS NOT BEING RETURNED AND THEY BLAMED AMERICAN "NON-COOPERATION."

THE U.S. GOVERNMENT, ALTHOUGH MACKIN HAD NOT KNOWN IT, HAD REFUSED TO NEGOTIATE WITH THE RED GERMAN REGIME FOR HIS FREEDOM, HOLDING IT WAS A SOVIET RESPONSIBILITY. THE UNITED STATES DOES NOT RECOGNIZE EAST GERMANY.

MACKIN FINALLY WAS FREED AFTER NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE AMERICAN RED CROSS AND THE EAST GERMAN RED CROSS.

MACKIN SAID HE HAD NO CONTACT WITH RUSSIANS DURING HIS CAPTIVITY. HE ADDED THAT HE ONCE CAUGHT A GLIMPSE OF TWO SOVIET ARMY MEN IN THE VILLA AT ERFURT WHERE HE WAS HELD BUT OTHERWISE SAW ONLY OFFICERS AND GUARDS OF THE EAST GERMAN PEOPLE'S ARMY.

"I WAS WELL TREATED WITH NO THREATS OF PHYSICAL HARM," HE SAID.

THE ARMY FLIER SAID HE WAS QUESTIONED FOR A TOTAL OF ABOUT 10 HOURS DURING THE FIRST TWO DAYS HE WAS HELD. HE SAID THE QUESTIONS APPEARED TO BE AIMED AT ESTABLISHING HIS IDENTITY BECAUSE HIS CRASHED PLANE WAS NOT FOUND AT FIRST.

MACKIN DECLINED TO GIVE ANY DETAILS OF HIS INTERROGATION. AN ARMY INTELLIGENCE STAFF OFFICER WAS PRESENT FOR THE NEWS CONFERENCE AND IT WAS ANNOUNCED THAT QUESTIONS CONSIDERED OF INTELLIGENCE NATURE WOULD HAVE TO BE CLEARED BY HIM. MACKIN WAITED FOR AN APPROVING NOD OR NEGATIVE SHAKE OF THE HEAD FROM THE OFFICER BEFORE ANSWERING MOST QUESTIONS.

HE HAD A BRIEF REUNION AT HIS QUARTERS HERE WITH HIS WIFE AND CHILD BEFORE MEETING REPORTERS.

ASKED WHAT IT WAS LIKE TO BE BACK, HE REPLIED "WONDERFUL."

HE READ A PREPARED STATEMENT SAYING HE HAD BECOME "DISORIENTED BECAUSE OF NAVIGATIONAL DIFFICULTIES" ON A ROUTINE FLIGHT FROM FRANKFURT TO AN ARMY TRAINING CENTER AT GRAFENWOEHR NEAR THE EAST GERMAN BORDER.

AFTER HIS PLANE RAN OUT OF FUEL AND HE PARACHUTED, HE SAID HE WALKED TWO HOURS TO A VILLAGE. BELIEVING HE WAS STILL IN WEST GERMANY, HE STOPPED AT AN INN AND ASKED FOR DIRECTIONS TO THE CIVIL POLICE. HE WAS TOLD HE WAS IN EAST GERMANY AND WAS ESCORTED BY ABOUT 15 PERSONS TO THE VILLAGE POLICE STATION.

HE SAID THE PEOPLE WERE NOT UNFRIENDLY WHEN THEY LEARNED HE WAS AN AMERICAN BUT THAT HE FELT HE WOULD HAVE BEEN DETAINED FORCIBLY IF HE HAD TRIED TO GET AWAY.

THE LIEUTENANT SAID HIS DAILY ROUTINE WAS SIMPLY TO EAT AND SLEEP AND SOMETIMES WATCH EAST GERMAN TV. HE WAS NOT ALLOWED TO LISTEN TO AMERICAN ARMED FORCES RADIO BROADCASTS NOR RECEIVE WESTERN NEWSPAPERS.

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FOOD WAS PLENTIFUL, HE ASSERTED, BUT WAS NOT SUITED TO AN AMERICAN DIET. HE OCCASIONALLY WAS ALLOWED TO WALK IN A 20 BY 40-FOOT YARD, HE ADDED, BUT ONLY AFTER DARK.

HE WAS PERMITTED TO SEND TWO LETTERS TO HIS WIFE AND RECEIVED ONE FROM HER JAN. 28. TWO DAYS BEFORE HIS RELEASE HE RECEIVED FOUR RED CROSS PARCELS.

ASKED IF HE THOUGHT THE CONDITIONS PROVIDED FOR HIM WERE WORTH THE SO-CALLED DETENTION MONEY PAID OVER BY THE RED CROSS ON HIS RELEASE, MACKIN SAID "NO, IT WAS EXPENSIVE AT THAT PRICE."

THE RED CROSS SAID IT HAD GIVEN THE EAST GERMAN RED CROSS 4,500 MARKS (\$1,071) "DETENTION EXPENSES" FOR THE FIVE AMERICANS RELEASED.

MACKIN EMPHASIZED THAT HIS FLIGHT WAS "NOT AN INTENTIONAL INTERNATIONAL VIOLATION OF SOVIET ZONE TERRITORY."

HE ADDED THAT HE MADE NO PROMISES AND SIGNED NO DOCUMENTS TO OBTAIN HIS FREEDOM.

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BY JOHN FIEHN

HELMSTEDT, GERMANY, FEB. 5 (AP)—THE DRIVERS OF THE U.S. ARMY CONVOY HELD BY THE RUSSIANS FOR MORE THAN 50 HOURS SAID TODAY THEY GOT THE IMPRESSION THE SOVIETS HAD DELIBERATELY SET UP THE INCIDENT IN ADVANCE.

SPECIALIST 4.C. ELWOOD F. JOHNSON OF BROOKLYN, N.Y., ACTING AS SPOKESMAN FOR THE FOUR DRIVERS, SAID HE COULDN'T EXPLAIN THEIR FEELING BUT "WE GOT THE IMPRESSION IT WAS PREARRANGED."

"WITHIN MINUTES OF ARRIVING AT MARIENBORN, WE REALIZED TROUBLE WAS BREWING UP," HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE AT THIS IRON CURTAIN BORDER TOWN BEFORE THE DRIVERS AND THEIR FOUR TRUCKS RESUMED THEIR INTERRUPTED JOURNEY FROM WEST BERLIN TO MANNHEIM, IN WEST GERMANY.

CPL. RICHARD C. MASIERO OF STOCKBRIDGE, MASS., THE CONVOY COMMANDER, HAD RETURNED TO BERLIN.

SOVIET BORDER GUARDS HALTED THE CONVOY MONDAY AT THE MARIENBORN CHECKPOINT BECAUSE MASIERO REFUSED TO PERMIT AN INSPECTION OF ITS CARGO OF BROKEN-DOWN JEEPS. THE CONVOY WAS RELEASED WITHOUT AN INSPECTION LATE YESTERDAY AFTER STRONG U.S. PROTESTS, INCLUDING ONE FROM PRESIDENT EISENHOWER.

JOHNSON ADDED THAT IT WAS HIS THIRD CONVOY FROM BERLIN AND WHEN THEY SET OFF "I HAD A FEELING SOMETHING WOULD HAPPEN, BUT I DIDN'T KNOW THE RUSSIANS WOULD PICK ON MY CONVOY."

ANOTHER DRIVER, SPECIALIST 4. C. JAMES E. COOK, OF HARDEEVILLE, S. C., REVEALED THAT THERE WERE TWO INCIDENTS INVOLVING BRITISH MILITARY TRUCKS WHILE THEY WERE HELD AT THE BORDER. THE BRITISH ARMY SO FAR HAS REPORTED ONLY ONE.

COOK SAID THE FIRST BRITISH TRUCK DREW UP AT THE FRONTIER POST MONDAY SHORTLY AFTER THE AMERICANS WERE STOPPED THERE. HE SAID A RUSSIAN OFFICER DISTRACTED THE ATTENTION OF THE BRITISH DRIVER WHILE A RUSSIAN SOLDIER CLIMBED IN THE BACK OF THE TRUCK AND MADE AN INSPECTION.

LATER A BRITISH VEHICLE PULLING A TRAILER WAS STOPPED AND THE RUSSIANS INSPECTED THE TRAILER WITH A FLASHLIGHT.

COOK SAID AFTER BOTH INCIDENTS THREE BRITISH OFFICERS CAME FROM THE ALLIED CHECKPOINT ACROSS THE FRONTIER TO PROTEST TO THE LOCAL RUSSIAN COMMANDER. THE ALLIES

CONTEND THAT THE SOVIET BORDER GUARDS HAVE NO RIGHT TO INSPECT ANYTHING BUT THEIR MANIFEST PAPERS.
JOHNSON SAID HIS GROUP BACKED THEIR FOUR OPEN-END TRUCKS UP TAIL TO TAIL SO THE RUSSIANS COULDN'T CLIMB IN THEM WHILE THEY WERE SLEEPING.

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KARLSRUHE, GERMANY, FEB. 5 (AP)-A 36-YEAR-OLD GERMAN WOMAN WAS SENTENCED TODAY TO NINE MONTHS IN JAIL FOR SPYING FOR THE COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN REGIME.

THE WEST GERMAN FEDERAL COURT CONVICTED ELFRIEDE BUECHNER, A SECRETARY, OF STEALING DOCUMENTS AND PASSING THEM WITH OTHER INFORMATION TO RED AGENTS. SHE WAS PAID 1,520 (\$365) MARKS.
ONE DOCUMENT WAS THE YEARBOOK OF THE FEDERATION OF GERMAN INDUSTRY, WHICH CONTAINED NO SECRET INFORMATION.

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CAIRO, FEB. 5 (AP)-SOUTH VIET NAM'S TWO DELEGATES WITHDREW TODAY FROM THE ASIAN-AFRICAN YOUTH CONFERENCE IN PROTEST AGAINST THE PRESENCE OF A SOVIET DELEGATION.
THEY ARE THE FIRST TO LEAVE FOR THAT REASON BUT OTHERS HERE HAVE OPENLY PROTESTED AND SOME COUNTRIES REFUSED TO SEND DELEGATES TO SIT WITH THE SOVIETS.

NGUYEN VAN HUAN IN A SPEECH TO THE CONFERENCE APPEALED FOR A BAN ON THE RUSSIANS AND THEN TOLD REPORTERS HE AND THE OTHER VIET NAM DELEGATE ARE RETURNING TO SAIGON.

HE SAID THE SOVIET PRESENCE VIOLATES THE SPIRIT OF THE 1955 ASIAN-AFRICAN CONFERENCE AT BANDUNG, INDONESIA.
(A LARGE AREA OF THE SOVIET UNION LIES IN NORTHERN ASIA BUT SOME DELEGATIONS CONTEND IT DOES NOT HAVE THE NECESSARY NATURAL LINKS TO QUALIFY FOR ASIAN-AFRICAN MEMBERSHIP UNDER THE BANDUNG DEFINITIONS).
LAOS, THAILAND, BURMA AND SOUTH KOREA WERE REPORTED TO HAVE REFUSED TO COME BECAUSE OF THE RUSSIANS. SOME OTHER DELEGATIONS, INCLUDING INDIA AND JAPAN, HAVE SAID THEY DISAGREED WITH THE INVITATION TO THE SOVIETS.

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ADDIS ABABA, ETHIOPIA, FEB. 5 (AP)-VISITING PRESIDENT TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA LEFT THIS CAPITAL TODAY ON A FOUR-DAY SAFARI INTO SOUTHERN ETHIOPIA. HE CONFERRED AT LENGTH LAST NIGHT WITH EMPEROR HAILE SELASSIE.

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PRECEDE GAZA DAY (120)

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., FEB. 5 (AP)-THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC TOLD THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL TONIGHT AN ISRAELI PATROL KILLED AN ARAB WOMAN AND CHILD, AND WOUNDED ANOTHER WOMAN INSIDE THE U.A.R.'S EGYPTIAN REGION.

IN A LETTER TO THE 11-NATION COUNCIL, U.A.R. DELEGATE OMAR LOUTFI DID NOT ASK FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION, BUT RESERVED THE RIGHT TO PURSUE THE MATTER.

LOUTFI SAID THE U.N. EGYPT-ISRAELI MIXED ARMISTICE COMMISSION WOULD MEET SATURDAY TO CONSIDER A U.A.R. COMPLAINT.

HIS LETTER CHARGED FOUR ISRAELI SOLDIERS ATTACKED UNARMED CIVILIANS IN A BEDOUIN CAMP YESTERDAY SOUTH OF RAFA.

IN TEL AVIV, AN ISRAELI ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID THE PATROL WAS ATTACKED IN ISRAEL BY INFILTRATORS WHO WERE PURSUED INTO THE GAZA STRIP.

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GAZA FEB. 5 (AP)-THE U.N. EMERGENCY FORCE LAST NIGHT CHARGED AN ISRAELI PATROL WITH KILLING AN ARAB WOMAN AND CHILD DURING AN INVASION OF EGYPTIAN TERRITORY ACROSS THE ARMISTICE LINE.

THE ISRAELI ARMY HAD A DIFFERENT VERSION, CLAIMING THAT AN ISRAELI SECURITY PATROL WAS ATTACKED BY INFILTRATORS ON THE ISRAELI SIDE OF THE BORDER AND THAT THE PATROL PURSUED ITS ATTACKERS INTO THE GAZA STRIP.

A UNEF COMMUNIQUE GAVE THIS ACCOUNT OF THE INCIDENT:

A PATROL OF THE INTERNATIONAL FORCE FOUND FOUR ISRAELIS SOUTH OF THE TOWN OF RAFAH, ON THE GAZA-EGYPTIAN BORDER. THE ISRAELIS SAID THEY WERE LOST AND WITHDREW.

"SUBSEQUENTLY THE UNEF PATROL LEARNED THE ISRAELIS ENGAGED A BEDOUIN CAMP IN EGYPT WITH THE RESULT THAT ONE WOMAN AND A CHILD WERE KILLED AND A WOMAN WOUNDED BY SMALL ARMS FIRE," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

AN EGYPTIAN SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE ISRAELI PATROL MOVED ABOUT TWO MILES INSIDE EGYPTIAN TERRITORY AND ENTERED A HUT OCCUPIED BY A 70-YEAR-OLD WOMAN, HER DAUGHTER, 25, AND THE DAUGHTER'S SON, 4.

THE THREE WERE BEATEN, THE DAUGHTER AND HER SON SLAIN, AND THE OLD WOMAN WOUNDED, THE EGYPTIAN SPOKESMAN CLAIMED.

AN ISRAELI ARMY SPOKESMAN IN TEL AVIV SAID THE ISRAELI SECURITY PATROL WAS ATTACKED SOUTH OF KEREN AVSHALOM VILLAGE. AFTER PURSUING THE INFILTRATORS INTO THE GAZA STRIP, HE CONTINUED, THE ISRAELIS WITHDREW BUT WERE ATTACKED AGAIN. AT THIS POINT A UNEF PATROL APPEARED BUT WAS NOT INVOLVED IN THE ENCOUNTER, ACCORDING TO THE ISRAELI VERSION.

EGYPT'S DELEGATE TO THE EGYPTIAN-ISRAELI MIXED ARMISTICE COMMISSION ENTERED A STRONG PROTEST AND REQUESTED AN URGENT COMMISSION MEETING. U.N. OBSERVERS STARTED AN INVESTIGATION, BUT ISRAEL HAS BEEN BOYCOTTING THE COMMISSION FOR MONTHS.

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BY MAX HARRELSON

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., FEB. 5 (AP)-SECRETARY GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD TOOK ISSUE TODAY WITH SOME VIEWS EXPRESSED BY SECRETARY OF STATE DULLES LAST WEEK ON THE UNITED NATIONS.

HIS COMMENTS WERE MADE AT A NEWS CONFERENCE WHERE QUESTIONERS-- WITHOUT MENTIONING DULLES BY NAME--ASKED ABOUT POINTS MADE BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE IN A SPEECH BEFORE THE NEW YORK STATE BAR ASSN. IN NEW YORK CITY.

DULLES EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT SOME ALTERNATIVE FOR THE U.N. MUST BE FOUND UNLESS IT BECOMES A GREATER FORCE FOR JUSTICE AND LAW AS THE BASIS FOR PEACE. IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION, HAMMARSKJOLD ASKED: "WHAT ALTERNATIVE IS THERE TO WORLD ORGANIZATION?"

THEN HE DECLARED THERE ARE UNDOUBTEDLY SHORTCOMINGS IN THE U.N. BUT THEY MUST BE ELIMINATED THROUGH CHANGES.

"WHAT MIGHT COME AFTER THE U.N. WILL HAVE TO BE ON THE SAME FOUNDATION," HE ADDED.

ASKED ABOUT DULLES' POINT THAT THE U.N. OUGHT TO RESORT MORE OFTEN TO MORAL CONDEMNATION, THE SECRETARY-GENERAL REPLIED: "I AM NOT A MORALIST."

HE SAID ONE OF THE FUNCTIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS TO PRONOUNCE JUDGMENTS "AND I HOPE THEY ARE MORAL."

ON THE SUBJECT OF BERLIN, HE SAID HE HAD NO ADVANCE INFORMATION ON SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV'S PROPOSAL THAT BERLIN BECOME A DEMILITARIZED CITY UNDER U.N. AUSPICES. HE ADDED THAT HE HAD NOT BEEN APPROACHED BY EITHER SIDE ON THE BERLIN PROBLEM.

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BY MAX HARRISON (370)

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., FEB. 3 (AP)—JAMES P. WARBURG, BANKER AND AUTHORITY ON GERMANY, SAID TODAY THE FIRST STEP TOWARD A SOLUTION OF THE GERMAN PROBLEM SHOULD BE WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN TROOPS FROM GERMAN SOIL.

WARBURG TOLD U.N. CORRESPONDENTS AT A LUNCHEON THAT THE WESTERN POWERS MUST CONTINUE TO INSIST UPON FREE ALL-GERMAN ELECTIONS, BUT AS THE FINAL STEP RATHER THAN THE FIRST.

"THE FIRST STEP, I SUBMIT, IS TO REMOVE FOREIGN TROOPS FROM GERMAN SOIL," HE DECLARED. "ONLY THEN WILL THE PEOPLE OF EAST AND WEST GERMANY BE ABLE TO CONSIDER THE MEANS BY WHICH THE TWO WIDELY DISPARATE STATES MAY BE UNIFIED."

WARBURG MADE THESE OTHER MAIN POINTS:

1. THE BERLIN PROBLEM MUST BE CONSIDERED ONLY IN THE CONTEXT OF THE BROADER QUESTIONS RAISED BY A DIVIDED GERMANY AND A DIVIDED EUROPE. THE SOVIET PROPOSALS FOR TURNING BERLIN INTO A FREE CITY UNDER U.N. AUSPICES.

2. THE RAPACKI PLAN MAKES A GOOD STARTING POINT FOR CREATING THE SECURITY NEEDED TO FACILITATE THE RE-UNIFICATION OF GERMANY. THIS PLAN ADVANCED BY THE POLISH FOREIGN MINISTER CALLS FOR A STANDSTILL IN THE NUCLEAR ARMAMENT OF WEST AND EAST GERMANY, POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND FOR NEGOTIATIONS ON THE WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN TROOPS.

"IT WOULD CREATE CONDITIONS," HE SAID, "IN WHICH ONE MIGHT REASONABLY EXPECT THAT THE TWO GERMAN STATES WOULD GRADUALLY FIND THEIR WAY TOWARD RE-UNIFICATION."

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VERA H. DEAN, EDITOR OF THE FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION'S HEADLINE SERIES, SAID SHE AGREED GENERALLY WITH WARBURG'S CONCLUSIONS, ESPECIALLY HIS SUPPORT OF THE RAPACKI PLAN.

SHE QUESTIONED WHETHER CHANCELLOR ADENAUER REALLY WANTS REUNIFICATION OF GERMANY.

"IT DOESN'T LOOK THAT WAY," SHE DECLARED.

SHE ALSO SAID THE WEST GERMAN AUTHORITIES WERE DEALING ACTIVELY WITH COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY, ESPECIALLY IN TRADE, WHILE PROTESTING LOUDLY AGAINST ANY WESTERN MOVE WHICH MIGHT BE INTERPRETED AS RECOGNITION OF THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT.

SHE SAID IT IS TOTALLY UNREALISTIC TO THINK THAT THERE CAN BE A UNIFIED GERMANY ARMED WITH NUCLEAR WEAPONS. BEFORE THERE CAN BE RE-UNIFICATION, SHE ADDED, THE WEST MUST AGREE TO CREATE A SITUATION IN WHICH EASTERN EUROPE IS NOT DEPENDENT SOLELY ON THE SOVIET UNION FOR PROTECTION AGAINST A REVIVED, UNIFIED GERMANY.

WARBURG EXPRESSED THE BELIEF THAT THE RUSSIANS WOULD POSTPONE THEIR THREATENED WITHDRAWAL FROM BERLIN, IF THERE ARE DIPLOMATIC NEGOTIATIONS IN PROGRESS WHEN THE DEADLINE ARRIVES.

"I DON'T THINK THE RUSSIANS WANT TO PRECIPITATE A MAJOR CRISIS," HE SAID.

TURNING TO THE DISPUTE OVER THE GERMAN-POLISH BORDER, WARBURG SAID HE THOUGHT THIS COULD BE SETTLED BY SOME MINOR, FACE-SAVING CONCESSIONS ON THE PART OF POLAND.

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(380) SECOND NIGHT LEAD DEFENSE-SPACE

BY FRED S. HOFFMAN

WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)—DR. WERNHER VON BRAUN, ONE OF THE ARMY'S CHIEF MISSILE SCIENTISTS, PLEADED TODAY FOR 140 MILLION DOLLARS MORE THAN ALLOTTED TO BUILD A ROCKET ENGINE WITH 1 1/2 MILLION POUNDS OF THRUST.

SUCH A GIANT ROCKET WOULD PUSH THE UNITED STATES FORWARD IN THE SPACE RACE WITH RUSSIA, VON BRAUN TOLD THE HOUSE SPACE COMMITTEE.

TESTIFYING IN SECRET SESSION, VON BRAUN RENEWED A PREDICTION THAT IT WILL TAKE THE UNITED STATES FIVE YEARS TO CATCH UP WITH THE SOVIET UNION IN ROCKETRY. HIS STATEMENT WAS MADE PUBLIC BY THE COMMITTEE.

EARLIER IN THE DAY, DR. HERBERT F. YORK, A KEY DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SCIENTIST, TOOK A MUCH MORE OPTIMISTIC POSITION ON HOW THE UNITED STATES IS MAKING OUT IN THE VITAL SPACE-MISSILES CONTEST WITH THE RUSSIANS.

"I BELIEVE WE ARE OVERTAKING THEM," YORK SAID UNDER QUESTIONING BY MEMBERS OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE.

A BIG ROCKET ENGINE IS A MAJOR MISSING LINK IN U. S. EFFORTS SO FAR TOWARD SHOOTING LARGE VEHICLES INTO SPACE. AMERICA'S LARGEST SATELLITE, THE TALKING ATLAS, WAS TOSSED UP WITH 360,000 POUNDS OF THRUST. PAYLOAD FELL FAR SHORT OF RUSSIAN WEIGHTS IN SPACE.

THE ARMY'S PROJECT TO DEVELOP 1 1/2 MILLION POUNDS OF THRUST INVOLVES CLUSTERING TOGETHER CERTAIN EXISTING ROCKET MOTORS. THE PROJECT NOW IS PLANNED FOR COMPLETION BY 1962.

THIS DIFFERS FROM A CIVILIAN SPACE AGENCY UNDERTAKING TO BUILD A SINGLE-CHAMBER ROCKET WITH 1 1/2 MILLION POUNDS OF THRUST INSIDE OF FOUR YEARS.

VON BRAUN SAID HE COULD USE ANOTHER 40 MILLION DOLLARS IN THE PRESENT FISCAL YEAR, AND AN EXTRA 100 MILLIONS ON THIS ONE PROJECT DURING THE YEAR STARTING JULY 1.

NO ESTIMATES WERE IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE ON HOW MUCH IS NOW EARMARKED FOR THE ROCKET CLUSTER.

BEFORE VON BRAUN SPOKE, SECRETARY OF THE ARMY WILBER M. BRUCKER TOLD THE SPACE GROUP IN PUBLIC SESSION THAT THE ARMY'S BUDGET IS "SUFFICIENT FOR US TO PROCEED WITH WHAT WE HAVE AT THE PRESENT TIME."

BRIG. GEN. JOHN A. BARCLAY, THE ARMY'S BALLISTIC MISSILE COMMANDER, SAID HE COULD USE MORE FUNDS FOR VARIOUS PROJECTS BUT HAD NOT YET ASKED THE PENTAGON'S SUPERVISORY UNIT ON SPACE WORK--THE ADVANCED RESEARCH PROJECTS AGENCY--FOR APPROVAL OF THOSE PROJECTS. HE DID NOT ELABORATE.

SOME DEMOCRATS HAVE CONTENDED THAT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER IS PINCHING PENNIES TO KEEP A BALANCED BUDGET WHILE DENYING ENOUGH FUNDS FOR IMPORTANT SPACE AND DEFENSE PROJECTS.

IN HIS APPEARANCE BEFORE THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, YORK SAID THE RUSSIANS NOW LEAD IN ROCKET POWER, BUT THAT THE UNITED STATES IS DEVELOPING A MISSILE ENGINE PLANNED TO HAVE MORE THRUST THAN THOSE THE SOVIET UNION HAS USED TO HURL SATELLITES AND SPACE PROBES ALOFT.

HE APPARENTLY WAS REFERRING TO THE HOPED-FOR ROCKET ENGINE CLUSTER GENERATING 1 1/2 MILLION POUNDS OF THRUST.

HOWEVER, HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW JUST WHEN THE UNITED STATES WOULD OVERTAKE RUSSIA BECAUSE U.S. OFFICIALS DON'T KNOW JUST WHAT THE RUSSIANS ARE PLANNING IN THIS FIELD.

THE 37-YEAR-OLD YORK WAS QUESTIONED BEFORE THE ARMED SERVICES GROUP UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED HIS NOMINATION AS DIRECTOR OF DEFENSE RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING. THE NOMINATION NOW GOES TO THE FULL SENATE.

HIS TESTIMONY APPEARED AT ODDS WITH THE VIEWS EXPRESSED LAST WEEK BY DR. WERNHER VON BRAUN, A TOP ARMY MISSILE SCIENTIST. VON BRAUN TOLD CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATORS HE BELIEVES THE UNITED STATES IS TRAILING RUSSIA BY ABOUT FIVE YEARS IN THE MISSILES-SPACE COMPETITION.

WHEN SEN. STUART SYMINGTON (D-MO) NOTED THIS APPARENT DIVERGENCE, YORK SAID "I DON'T KNOW JUST WHAT HE (VON BRAUN) HAD IN MIND." SYMINGTON, WHO CONTENDS THE ADMINISTRATION DEFENSE EFFORT IS TOO SMALL, TOLD YORK HE IS "INCREASINGLY APPREHENSIVE ABOUT CONFLICTING STATEMENTS" BY DEFENSE OFFICIALS AND SCIENTISTS ON NATIONAL SECURITY MATTERS.

MEANWHILE, MAJ GEN. BERNARD A. SCHRIEVER, AIR FORCE MISSILES BOSS, TOLD A HOUSE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE THE AIR FORCE'S LONG RANGE ROCKET PROGRAMS ARE AHEAD OF SCHEDULE BECAUSE THEY ARE UNDER PRIVATE SCIENTIFIC MANAGEMENT.

TAKING A SIMILAR LINE, SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE JAMES H. DOUGLAS SAID THE DECISION TO USE THE PRIVATE MANAGEMENT APPROACH HAS PAID OFF WITH "REMARKABLE ADVANCES." HOWEVER, DOUGLAS CONCEDED THE RUSSIANS ARE "SOMEWHAT AHEAD OF US."

IN ANOTHER PART OF THE CAPITOL, SECRETARY OF THE ARMY WILBER M. BRUCKER VOICED OPPOSITION TO A NAVY ADMIRAL'S SUGGESTION YESTERDAY THAT A SINGLE NATIONAL SPACE AGENCY TAKE OVER THE EFFORTS NOW BEING HANDLED BY SEPARATE MILITARY AND CIVILIAN AGENCIES.

THAT PROPOSAL WAS MADE BY REAR ADM. J.T. HAYWARD, THE NAVY'S RESEARCH CHIEF, WHO SAID U.S. SPACE GOALS WOULD NOT BE REACHED UNDER THE CURRENT MULTI-HEADED ARRANGEMENT.

TESTIFYING BEFORE THE HOUSE SPACE COMMITTEE, BRUCKER DEFENDED THE PRESENT SETUP AS "CONTROLLED COMPETITION" RATHER THAN WASTEFUL DUPLICATION.

BRUCKER AND BRIG. GEN. JOHN A. BARCLAY, THE ARMY'S BALLISTIC MISSILE COMMANDER, SPOKE OF WORK ON SATELLITES FOR WORLDWIDE COMMUNICATIONS AND FOR WEATHER OBSERVATION.

THE WEATHER EFFORT "MAY LEAD TO A BREAKTHROUGH WHICH WILL MAKE POSSIBLE THE ACTIVE CONTROL OF WEATHER OVER A BATTLE AREA," BARCLAY SAID.

THE ARMY LEADERS PREDICTED TRANSPORT MISSILES WHICH SOME DAY COULD CARRY MEN AND MATERIALS QUICKLY INTO OTHERWISE HARD-TO-REACH BATTLEFIELDS.

THE QUESTION OF A ROUND-THE-CLOCK AIR ALERT AROSE WHEN MCELROY AND GEN. NATHAN F. TWINING, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, APPEARED BEFORE THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE FOR MORE TESTIMONY.

MCELROY AND TWINING SAID THERE IS NO PRESENT NEED FOR SUCH AN ALERT, UNDER WHICH A CERTAIN NUMBER OF LONG RANGE BOMBERS WOULD BE ALOFT AT ALL TIMES AND READY TO STREAK TOWARD AN ENEMY TARGET IN EVENT OF ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES. BOTH PENTAGON OFFICIALS DENIED THAT ECONOMY REASONS PROMPTED THE DECISION AGAINST SUCH A CONSTANT ALERT.

TWINING SAID THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND KEEPS PART OF ITS FORCE ON A GROUND ALERT BASIS, READY TO SCRAMBLE SKYWARD ON ABOUT 15 MINUTES NOTICE. HE SAID THIS IS ENOUGH UNDER PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES.

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(150) DEFENSE

WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)—THE TWO TOP DEFENSE OFFICIALS DENIED TODAY THAT ECONOMY DICTATED THE DECISION AGAINST A CONSTANT ALERT BY U. S. PLANES IN THE AIR.

IT IS JUST THAT THERE IS NO PRESENT MILITARY NEED FOR AN AIRBORNE ALERT, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE MCELROY AND GEN. NATHAN F. TWINING, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, TOLD THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE.

UNDER AN AIRBORNE ALERT, THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND WOULD KEEP A PORTION OF ITS PLANES IN THE AIR AT ALL TIMES.

MCELROY DISCLOSED THE PENTAGON WILL ASK FOR ABOUT 300 MILLION DOLLARS TO REPLENISH SERVICE APPROPRIATIONS DEPLETED BY THE U. S. ACTION IN

LEBANON LAST YEAR. HE SAID IT IS TRUE THAT NAVY OUTLAYS FOR AIRCRAFT GASOLINE AND OIL HAVE HAD TO BE TRIMMED FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30 BECAUSE OF EXPENDITURES IN LEBANON. THE SECRETARY TURNED ASIDE A SUGGESTION THAT THE PENTAGON COMPROMISE WITH CONGRESS IN THE ROW OVER THE STRENGTH OF THE MARINE CORPS. MCELROY SAID HE HAS INSTRUCTIONS "WITH WHICH I CONCUR" TO TRIM THE CORPS TO 175,000 MEN. CONGRESS PROVIDED FOR 200,000 AND THE SUGGESTION WAS THAT THE PENTAGON CONSIDER LEAVING THE MARINES AT THEIR PRESENT ACTUAL STRENGTH OF 188,000.

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(300) MISSILES-WOOLDRIDGE

WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)-THE AIR FORCE TOLD CONGRESS TODAY THAT IN ACTUAL PERFORMANCE ITS INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTICS MISSILE PROGRAM IS A YEAR AHEAD OF BEST EARLY ESTIMATES.

MAJ. GEN. BERNARD A. SCHRIEVER, AIR FORCE MISSILES CHIEF, SAID THE AIR FORCE'S PRIVATELY-OPERATED MISSILE MANAGEMENT APPROACH HAD PUT OPERATIONAL CAPABILITIES OF THE "ATLAS" ICBM A GOOD 12 MONTHS UP ON THE 1960-62 TARGET DATE.

THE INTERMEDIATE RANGE BALLISTIC MISSILE PROGRAM, HE SAID, IS SIX MONTHS AHEAD OF ESTIMATED MID-1959 OPERATIONAL BEGINNINGS.

SCHRIEVER AND AIR FORCE SECRETARY JAMES H. DOUGLAS TESTIFIED BEFORE A HOUSE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE INQUIRING INTO A 1954 CONTRACT WITH THE RAMO-WOOLDRIDGE CORP. (NOW THOMPSON RAMO-WOOLDRIDGE) TO TAKE OVER SCIENTIFIC MANAGEMENT DIRECTION OF THE AIR FORCE MISSILE PROGRAM.

DOUGLAS TOLD THE SUBCOMMITTEE THAT THE SPACE TECHNOLOGY LABORATORY IN INGLEWOOD, CALIF., DIRECTED BY RAMO-WOOLDRIDGE, "IS A TREMENDOUS ASSET TO NATIONAL SECURITY AT THIS TIME."

DOUGLAS SAID THE DECISION TO PLACE MISSILE MANAGEMENT WITH A SCIENTIFIC-MANAGEMENT GROUP WAS THE RESULT OF A CRASH PROGRAM TO CATCH UP WITH SOVIET MISSILE DEVELOPMENT.

HE CONCEDED THAT IT WAS NECESSARY TO "PAY PREMIUMS" FOR TOP PERSONNEL, "AND ALL OF US AGREE WE SHOULD PAY PREMIUMS."

"BUT IT LOOKS BETTER TODAY THAN BEFORE ON THE BASIS OF PERFORMANCE," DOUGLAS TESTIFIED. "WE HAVE NOTHING TO APOLOGIZE FOR."

"THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS UP TO TODAY BEAR OUT THE WISDOM OF THIS APPROACH."

DOUGLAS SAID THERE HAD BEEN SOME DISAGREEMENT OVER THE AIR FORCE APPROACH, CHIEFLY FROM THOSE WHO PREFERRED TO TURN THE PROGRAM OVER TO AN INDUSTRIAL FIRM ACTING AS PRIME CONTRACTOR FOR THE AIR FORCE.

THE HOUSE SUBCOMMITTEE IS STUDYING THE ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT OF THE MILITARY MISSILES PROGRAM.

SOME QUESTIONS HAVE BEEN AIRED OVER THE ROLE OF RAMO-WOOLDRIDGE AND ITS RECENT MERGER WITH THOMPSON PRODUCTS CO. OF CLEVELAND.

CHAIRMAN CHET HOLIFIEDD (D-CALIF) SAID THE INQUIRY WAS NOT INTENDED AS AN EXPOSE BUT ONLY TO BRING ALL INFORMATION TOGETHER. HE COMMENTED THAT U. S. MISSILE FAILURES SEEMED TO MAKE MORE HEADLINE NEWS THAN ACTUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

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(440) NUCLEAR PLANE

WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)-THREE TOP DEMOCRATS ON THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE TODAY CHARGED THERE IS FOOT-DRAGGING AND IN-DECISION IN THE PROGRAM TO DEVELOP A NUCLEAR POWERED AIRPLANE.

HITTING BACK, DEPUTY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE DONALD QUARLES CALLED THE CRITICISM "INVALID, IMPERATE AND OF A NATURE THAT DOES GRAVE IN-JUSTICE" TO THE NUCLEAR PLANE EFFORT.

THE DEMOCRATS CALLED ON THE ADMINISTRATION TO SET A TARGET DATE FOR DEVELOPING SUCH A PLANE AND TO PROVIDE THE FUNDS TO ACHIEVE IT.

THEY CONTENDED THE PRESENT PROGRAM NOT ONLY IS WASTEFUL OF THE TAXPAYERS' DOLLAR BUT ENDANGERS NATIONAL SECURITY.

THE STATEMENT WAS ISSUED BY SEN. CLINTON P. ANDERSON (D-NM), THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN; REP. CARL T. DURHAM (D-NC), VICE CHAIRMAN, AND REP. MELVIN PRICE (D-ILL), CHAIRMAN OF THE GROUP'S SUBCOMMITTEE ON RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT.

QUARLES WAS AMONG DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS HEARD AT A CLOSED SUBCOMMITTEE SESSION WINDING UP HEARINGS ON THE STATUS OF THE NUCLEAR PLANE PROJECT.

"THE RESULTS OF THESE HEARINGS HAVE LEFT US GRAVELY CONCERNED, BOTH FROM THE STANDPOINT OF OUR NATIONAL SECURITY AND FROM THE STAND-POINT OF WORLD CONFIDENCE IN AMERICA'S SCIENTIFIC CAPABILITIES," THE THREE DEMOCRATS SAID.

TERMING THE SITUATION ALMOST INCREDIBLE, THEY SAID THE PROGRAM STILL HAS NO FIRM OBJECTIVES, NO TARGET DATES HAVE BEEN SET FOR NUCLEAR FLIGHT, AND THE SPENDING RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE PROJECT DIRECTOR HAVE BEEN VIRTUALLY IGNORED.

THEY DESCRIBED THE ANNUAL EXPENDITURE OF 150 MILLION DOLLARS FOR THE PROGRAM AS A HOLDING OPERATION "TO AVOID DIFFICULT TECHNICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE DECISIONS WHICH MUST BE MADE TO LEND CLEAR-CUT DIRECTION TO THE PROGRAM."

THIS, THEY ADDED, WAS "A COMPLETELY INDEFINABLE USE OF THE TAXPAYERS' MONEY."

THE THREE DEMOCRATS SAID, AS PRICE HAD EARLIER, THEY HAD BEEN TOLD IT IS POSSIBLE TO HAVE A FLYING PROTOTYPE IN THE AIR BY THE SUMMER OR FALL OF 1962 IF A TARGET DATE IS ESTABLISHED IMMEDIATELY AND IF ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE PROVIDED NOW.

QUARLES CALLED REPORTERS TO HIS PENTAGON OFFICE AFTER SEEING THE DEMOCRATIC STATEMENT. HE SAID THE DEMOCRATS "HIT BELOW THE BELT" IN CHARGING THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT WITH "INDEFENSIBLE USE OF THE TAXPAYERS' MONEY."

QUARLES CONTENDED THAT TO SPEND VAST ADDITIONAL SUMS TO PRODUCE A LOW-PERFORMANCE AIRCRAFT "MIGHT BE AN IMPRESSIVE STUNT BUT IT WOULD NOT PROMOTE THE NATIONAL SECURITY AND WOULD INDEED BE A WASTE OF THE TAXPAYERS' MONEY."

HE RECALLED THAT THE NUCLEAR PLANE EFFORT STARTED ABOUT 10 YEARS AGO BUT THAT FOR SEVERAL YEARS LITTLE MONEY WAS SPENT ON IT UNTIL THE PRESENT PROGRAM BASED ON THE REQUIREMENT TO PRODUCE A "USEFUL MILITARY PLANE" WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1954.

QUARLES ESTIMATED THAT ABOUT ONE BILLION DOLLARS, INCLUDING THE ALLOCATION INCLUDED IN THE 1960 BUDGET, HAS BEEN SPENT ON OR EARMARKED FOR THE PROJECT.

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(190) DISARMAMENT

WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)--HENRY CABOT LODGE ACCUSED THE SOVIET UNION TODAY OF USING "PAPER PROMISES WHICH CAN BE PROPAGANDIZED" IN PLACE OF SERIOUS EFFORTS TO NEGOTIATE ON ARMS CONTROLS.

THE U.S. AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED NATIONS SAID THE SOVIETS "SHY AWAY FROM ANY CONTROLS OR INSPECTION OR VERIFYING DEVICES--WHICH ALONE CAN GIVE A DISARMAMENT SCHEME ANY REALITY, OR DEPENDABILITY, OR JUSTICE OR VALUE."

TESTIFYING BEFORE THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS DISARMAMENT SUBCOMMITTEE, THE AMBASSADOR SAID:

"INSTEAD OF WELCOMING CONTROLS, THEY ACCUSE US OF WANTING TO SPY ON THEM."

IN A NINE-PAGE PREPARED STATEMENT, LODGE REVIEWED THE LONG HISTORY OF U.S. EFFORTS IN THE UNITED NATIONS TO BRING ABOUT DISARMAMENT WHICH HE SAID THE SOVIETS HAD BLOCKED THROUGH THE YEARS.

TO SUM UP, HE TOLD THE SUBCOMMITTEE, HEADED BY SEN. HUBERT H. HUMPHREY (D-MINN), "THE UNITED STATES HAS DONE--AND CONTINUES TO DO--EVERYTHING IN ITS POWER TO BRING ABOUT A SOLUTION TO THE DISARMAMENT QUESTION." HE ADDED:

"WHAT SEPARATES THE SOVIET UNION FROM THE REST OF THE WORLD--AND WHAT CAUSES DESPAIR IN MANY PARTS OF THE WORLD--IS THE APPARENTLY INVETERATE TENDENCY OF SOVIET REPRESENTATIVES TO TREAT THE DISARMAMENT QUESTION MERELY AS A VEHICLE FOR SLOGANS--FOR MERE DECLARATIONS AND PAPER PROMISES THAT CAN BE PROPAGANDIZED."

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(380) NIGHT LEAD DRAFT

BY EDMOND LE BRETON

WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)--THE HOUSE VOTED TODAY, 381-20, TO EXTEND THE DRAFT FOUR YEARS BEYOND ITS SCHEDULED EXPIRATION JUNE 30. A STRONG DRIVE TO HOLD THE EXTENSION TO TWO YEARS FAILED. BUT IT IS EXPECTED TO BE RENEWED IN THE SENATE, NEXT STOP FOR THE FOUR-YEAR LEGISLATION BACKED BY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AND PENTAGON CHIEFS.

THE PROPOSAL TO EXTEND THE DRAFT FOR ONLY TWO YEARS LOST BY VOICE VOTE SHORTLY BEFORE THE FINAL ROLL CALL. ON PASSAGE, 244 DEMOCRATS AND 137 REPUBLICANS VOTED YES WHILE 15 DEMOCRATS AND 5 REPUBLICANS VOTED NO.

BACKERS OF THE FOUR-YEAR EXTENSION ARGUED THAT CONGRESS CAN END THE DRAFT AT ANY TIME IF CONDITIONS IMPROVE UNEXPECTEDLY. AND CHAIRMAN CARL VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE PROMISED A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION OF MILITARY MANPOWER NEEDS AND THE WAY IT IS BEING USED.

THOSE WHO SPOKE FOR CONTINUING THE DRAFT EMPHASIZED THAT, AS VINSON PUT IT, "WE HAVE NO CHOICE" IN LIGHT OF WORLD CONDITIONS. PROPONENTS SAID THE DRAFT IS NEEDED TO KEEP THE ARMED FORCES AT THE 2 1/2 MILLION MAN LEVEL. THEY QUOTED MILITARY ESTIMATES THAT NOT ONLY THE ARMY--THE ONE SERVICE NOW TAKING DRAFTEES--BUT THE OTHER SERVICES ALSO WOULD LOSE STRENGTH RAPIDLY IF THE DRAFT WERE NOT PRESENT TO SPUR ENLISTMENTS.

OPPONENTS CRITICIZED THE DRAFT AS INEQUITABLE, SINCE ONLY A MINORITY OF THE MEN OF MILITARY AGE ACTUALLY SERVE. THEY ALSO CALLED IT INEFFICIENT AND EXPENSIVE.

THE TWO-YEAR AMENDMENT WAS OFFERED BY A FRESHMAN MEMBER, REP. LEONARD G. WOLF (D-IOWA). HE SAID THERE IS NO ALTERNATIVE NOW TO THE DRAFT "BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN THERE WILL NEVER BE AN ALTERNATIVE" AND THAT ONE MIGHT BE FOUND WITHIN TWO YEARS.

REP. FRANK KOWALSKI (D-CONN), WELCOMING THE PROMISED INVESTIGATION, SAID HE THINKS THE MILITARY COULD "SHAKE OUT A DIVISION" OF MEN BY TAKING THEM OFF SUCH JOBS AS "COOKS, HOUSEBOYS OR THE LIKE FOR SENIOR

OFFICERS," OR OTHER CIVILIAN-STYLE EMPLOYMENT.

THE HOUSE DEFEATED, 135-42, AN AMENDMENT AIMED AT RESTRICTING THE USE OF DRAFTED MEN IN SUCH SITUATIONS AS AT LITTLE ROCK WHERE FEDERAL TROOPS WERE POSTED DURING THE SCHOOL SEGREGATION CRISIS.

REP. ARTHUR WINSTEAD (D-MISS) TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY TO HAVE THE BILL AMENDED TO PROVIDE THAT NO DRAFTEE SHOULD BE REQUIRED AGAINST HIS WILL TO SERVE IN A DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE DURING PEACETIME.

THE BILL PASSED BY THE HOUSE WOULD EXTEND SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR CALLING UP DOCTORS AND DENTISTS PREVIOUSLY DEFERRED TO COMPLETE THEIR EDUCATION. IT ALSO WOULD CONTINUE SPECIAL BENEFITS FOR MILITARY DEPENDENTS.

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(350) WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)--HAROLD E. STASSEN, FORMER DISARMAMENT ADVISOR TO PRESIDENT EISENHOWER, TONIGHT OUTLINED WHAT HE CALLED A "NEW AND RATHER PROVOCATIVE" EIGHT PART PLAN FOR THE UNIFICATION OF GERMANY.

THE NUB OF STASSEN'S PROPOSAL WAS CREATION OF A WIDE CENTRAL EUROPEAN ZONE--INCLUDING A SMALL PART OF FRANCE AND A SMALL PART OF RUSSIA--IN WHICH ALL ARMAMENT WOULD BE LIMITED UNDER UNITED NATIONS INSPECTION AND IN WHICH NUCLEAR WEAPONS WOULD BE PROHIBITED.

SPEAKING TO A SEMINAR OF CHURCHMEN SPONSORED BY THE NATIONAL COUNCIL

OF CHURCHES AND A NUMBER OF PROTESTANT CHURCH GROUPS, STASSEN CALLED FOR A MAJOR CHANGE IN FOREIGN POLICY TO MEET THE NEEDS OF THE 1960'S. HE SAID PAST FOREIGN POLICY HAS ALWAYS BEEN PREDICATED ON THE IDEA OF PROTECTING AMERICA'S INTERESTS ABOVE ALL ELSE, BUT THAT IT SHOULD BE EXPANDED TO TAKE IN THE IDEA OF ADVANCING THE INTERESTS OF ALL NATIONS.

STASSEN'S PLAN FOR GERMAN REUNIFICATION CALLED FOR SEEKING "THE AREA OF MUTUAL INTEREST BETWEEN THE PEOPLE OF GERMANY, THE PEOPLE OF RUSSIA, THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA AND THE PEOPLE OF ALL OTHER COUNTRIES CONCERNED." HE LISTED THESE POINTS:

- "1. A UNITED GERMANY TO BE FORMED BY ADDING THE TERRITORY OF THE RUSSIAN ZONE TO THE PRESENT FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY.
- "2. SUCH A UNITED GERMANY TO BE A PART OF A WIDE CENTRAL EUROPEAN ZONE INCLUDING A SMALL PORTION OF FRANCE AND A SMALL PORTION OF RUSSIA, IN WHICH ALL ARMAMENTS AND ARMED FORCES ARE LIMITED UNDER UNITED NATION INSPECTION AND IN WHICH NUCLEAR WEAPONS ARE PROHIBITED ON BOTH SIDES. RUSSIANS AND AMERICANS IN SMALL NUMBERS TO BE INCLUDED IN SUCH A UNITED NATIONS INSPECTION SERVICE.
- "3. SUCH A ZONE TO BE CONSIDERED AS A BEGINNING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF OTHER ZONES OF LIMITATION AND CONTROL OF ARMAMENTS THROUGH FUTURE NEGOTIATIONS.
- "4. THE UNITED GERMANY TO AGREE TO ITS PRESENT BORDERS AND TO RELEASE ANY CLAIMS TO TERRITORY BEYOND ITS BORDERS.
- "5. ALL OF THE NATO NATIONS, INCLUDING THE UNITED GERMANY, TO ENTER INTO A NON-AGGRESSION AND RESPECT-FOR-BORDERS PACT WITH ALL OF THE WARSAW GROUP OF NATIONS.
- "6. THE UNITED GERMANY TO AGREE THAT FOR TEN YEARS THOSE OF ITS INDUSTRIES WHICH ARE SOCIALIZED SHALL REMAIN SOCIALIZED, AND THOSE WHICH ARE PRIVATE SHALL REMAIN PRIVATE.
- "7. THE UNITED GERMANY TO PAY A PORTION OF THE EXPENSE OF RELOCATING THE ARMED FORCES AND THE DEFENSIVE LINES OF RUSSIA, UNITED STATES, FRANCE, AND BRITAIN, NOW LOCATED IN GERMANY.
- "8. THE UNITED GERMANY TO BE RECEIVED AS A MEMBER OF THE UNITED NATIONS."

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(320) MEYER-EUROPE

WASHINGTON, FEB. 5 (AP)-A SPECIALIST ON RUSSIA TODAY RECOMMENDED SERIOUS STUDY OF A POLISH PLAN FOR WITHDRAWAL OF SOVIET AND WESTERN TROOPS FROM EASTERN EUROPE AS A BASIS FOR DISCUSSION WITH RUSSIA.

ALFRED G. MEYER, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AT MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY, SAID IT SEEMS TO HIM ANY SUCH WITHDRAWAL WOULD BE UNACCEPTABLE TO RUSSIA.

"EVEN SO, WE OUGHT NOT TO ABANDON ALL THOUGHTS OF A MUTUAL WITHDRAWAL," MEYER TOLD THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS DISARMAMENT SUBCOMMITTEE.

"THE FACT THAT A COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAS REPEATEDLY PROPOSED IT GIVES US SOME HOPE THAT EVEN THE U.S.S.R. MIGHT AGREE TO IT."

HE REFERRED TO WHAT IS KNOWN AS THE RAPACKI PLAN, NAMED FOR THE FOREIGN MINISTER OF POLAND, ADAM RAPACKI. MEYER SAID THE PLAN CONTEMPLATES WITHDRAWAL ON TERMS WHICH THIS GOVERNMENT SHOULD CONSIDER SERIOUSLY. HE SAID IT SHOWS EAGERNESS ON THE PART OF THE POLISH GOVERNMENT FOR SOME SORT OF COOLING OFF ARRANGEMENT.

"IT IS QUITE EVIDENT THAT THEY HAVE MADE THESE PROPOSALS WITHOUT FIRST CLEARING THEM WITH MOSCOW," MEYER SAID, "ALL THE MORE REASON TO TAKE THEM SERIOUSLY AND TO USE THEM AS A BASIS FOR DISCUSSION."

THE 39-YEAR-OLD MEYER, A GERMAN-BORN, NATURALIZED AMERICAN, TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT "TO AN INCALCULABLE DEGREE, FEAR OF GERMANY IS ONE OF THE MEANS BY WHICH THE U.S.S.R. CONTROLS POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA," ADDING:

"HENCE ANY ARRANGEMENT THAT WOULD REALLY GUARANTEE THAT GERMANY COULD NEITHER BECOME A STRONG AGGRESSIVE POWER NOR A LAUNCHING PLATFORM FOR U.S. MISSILES WOULD TEND TO WEAKEN THE HOLD OF THE SOVIET UNION ON THOSE TWO COUNTRIES."

HE SAID HE DOUBTS MOSCOW WOULD ACCEPT THE PLAN, WHICH EMBRACES THE NUCLEAR NEUTRALIZATION OF EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, BECAUSE THE SOVIETS "KNOW FOR SURE THAT THE LOYALTY OF EASTERN EUROPE DEPENDS ON THE PRESENCE OF RUSSIAN TROOPS."

MEYER, WHO SPENT A MONTH IN RUSSIA LAST SUMMER, SAID AMERICANS MIGHT AS WELL MAKE UP THEIR MINDS TO COEXIST WITH THE SOVIETS AS AMICABLY AS POSSIBLE.

THEY SHOULD DO SO, HE SAID, IF ONLY TO SAVE THEIR STRENGTH FOR "THE MORE CONSTRUCTIVE COMPETITION IN PROMOTING ECONOMIC GROWTH AND HUMAN WELFARE EVERYWHERE ON THE GLOBE."

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MIDDLETOWN, CONN., FEB 5 (AP)-RETIRED LT.-GEN. JAMES M. GAVIN SAID TONIGHT RUSSIA'S TACTICAL WEAPON IN THE COLD WAR IS WORLD ECONOMY.

THE FORMER ARMY CHIEF OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT SAID "THE SOVIETS HAVE ALREADY SENT THEIR CHIEF OF STAFF OVER HERE TO RECONNOITER THE BATTLEFIELD." HE REFERRED TO THE RECENT VISIT OF DEPUTY PREMIER A. I. MIKOYAN.

"MIKOYAN'S VISIT WAS JUST THAT," SAID GAVIN, "A RECONNAISSANCE TO SEE HOW OUR ECONOMIC FORCES SHAPE UP X X X"

"WHEN (SOVIET PREMIER) KHRUSHCHEV SAID, 'I DECLARE WAR ON YOU IN THE REALM OF TRADE,' HE MEANT WHAT HE SAID," THE FORMER PARATROOP COMMANDER TOLD A WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY AUDIENCE.

"WAR TODAY IS PSYCHOLOGICAL, ECONOMIC, AND TECHNOLOGICAL, (CQ) AS WELL AS TACTICAL," HE SAID.

GAVIN, WHO RESIGNED FROM THE ARMY LAST MARCH IN A DISPUTE WITH

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THE PENTAGON OVER DEFENSE POLICY, IS NOW VICE PRESIDENT OF A RESEARCH FIRM (ARTHUR D. LITTLE INC.)

THE SOVIET UNION, HE SAID, IS DETERMINED TO DESTROY THE WESTERN WORLD.

AT THE MOMENT, HE SAID, THE TACTICAL WEAPON IS WORLD ECONOMY.

HE REMINDED HIS AUDIENCE THAT KHRUSHCHEV BOASTED, "WE WILL BURY YOU."

"DON'T UNDERESTIMATE THIS CHALLENGE," GAVIN WARNED. "IT IS A CHALLENGE GREATER THAN ANY WE HAVE EVER FACED BEFORE, AND IT IS ONE WE MUST RISE TO AND MEET."

GAVIN, KEYNOTE SPEAKER OPENING WESLEYAN'S THREE-DAY PARLEY ON "WAR AND PEACE IN THE SPACE AGE," SAID ALL THE WORLD IS NOW ONE TACTICAL THEATER, AND "ALL COMPONENTS OF OUR SOCIETY ARE IN THE FIGHT."

"WE ARE DEALING WITH A COMPLETELY INTEGRATED, COMPLETELY DISCIPLINED SOCIETY WHICH IS DETERMINED TO ENGULF US."

"BY 1965, WHEN THE SOVIET SEVEN-YEAR PLAN OF ECONOMIC EXPANSION IS COMPLETED," HE SAID, "THE IMPACT ON OUR WAY OF LIFE WILL BE TREMENDOUS. WE IGNORE THIS CHALLENGE AT OUR OWN PERIL."

HAROLD STASSEN, FORMER PRESIDENTIAL ASSISTANT ON DISARMAMENT, WILL SPEAK TOMORROW NIGHT AT THE UNIVERSITY ON "A NEW AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY FOR THE SPACE-ATOMIC AGE."

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OMAHA, FEB. 5 (AP)-THE AIR FORCE TODAY RELEASED 45 MILLION DOLLARS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE NATION'S FIRST OPERATIONAL TITAN INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTIC MISSILE INSTALLATION AT LOWRY AIR FORCE BASE NEAR DENVER.

COL. JAMES S. CAPLES, AIR FORCE INSTALLATIONS REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE MISSOURI RIVER REGION, SAID AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON HAD NOTIFIED HIM OF THE RELEASE OF FUNDS FOR THE PROJECT.

THE INSTALLATION WILL BE UNDER CONTROL AND OPERATION OF THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND, HEADQUARTERED NEAR OMAHA.

THE OMAHA DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS, WILL RECEIVE BIDS ABOUT MARCH 19 FOR MAJOR CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS ON THE PROJECT, COL. CAPLES SAID.

THE THREE TITAN LAUNCHING COMPLEXES PLANNED FOR LOWRY BASE HAVE BEEN CITED ON THE BASE'S OLD BOMBING RANGE, ABOUT 15 MILES SOUTHEAST OF DENVER. PRELIMINARY ACCESS ROAD CONSTRUCTION AND WATER SUPPLY FACILITY CONSTRUCTION ARE UNDER WAY.

CONTRACTORS WILL BE ASKED TO BID ON CONSTRUCTION OF THREE CONTROL CENTERS WITH POWERHOUSES, PORTAL AND MISSILE SILOS, TUNNELS, STORAGE TANKS AND PIPING, A GATE HOUSE, UTILITIES, BITUMINOUS ROADS, FENCING AND SOIL STABILIZATION.

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THOMASVILLE, GA., FEB 5 (AP)-ASSIGNMENT OF VICE ADM. ROBERT L. DENNISON AS COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF NAVAL FORCES IN THE EASTERN ATLANTIC AND THE MEDITERRANEAN WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY AT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S VACATION HEADQUARTERS.

DENNISON SERVED AS NAVAL AIDE TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
HIS NEW ASSIGNMENT HAS ANNOUNCED AS EISENHOWER NOMINATED HIM
FOR PROMOTION TO FULL ADMIRAL. DENNISON, NOW DEPUTY CHIEF OF NAVAL
OPERATIONS FOR PLANS AND POLICIES, SUCCEEDS ADM. JAMES L. HOLLOWAY
JR. IN THE EASTERN ATLANTIC AND MEDITERRANEAN.
EISENHOWER RECOMMENDED TO THE SENATE THAT HOLLOWAY BE PLACED ON
THE RETIREMENT LIST AT HIS PRESENT GRADE OF FULL ADMIRAL.
THE PRESIDENT ALSO ANNOUNCED DESIGNATION OF VICE ADM. BERNARD L.
AUSTIN, NOW COMMANDER OF THE SECOND FLEET, TO SUCCEED DENNISON AS
A DEPUTY CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS.
REAR ADM. WILLIAM R. SMEDBURG WILL TAKE OVER AUSTIN'S OLD JOB.
SMEDBURG, NOW COMMANDER OF THE PACIFIC FLEET'S CRUISER-DESTROYER FORCE,
WAS NOMINATED BY EISENHOWER FOR PROMOTION TO VICE ADMIRAL.
ALL OF THE NOMINATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO SENATE CONFIRMATION.
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NEW YORK, FEB. 5 (AP)-A HIGH RANKING COMMUNIST PARTY OFFICIAL HAS
BEEN NAMED CHIEF OF RUSSIA'S FOREIGN TRADE AGENCY IN THIS COUNTRY.
IT WAS LEARNED TODAY. THE APPOINTMENT WAS REGARDED HERE AS A SOVIET
MOVE TO SPUR TRADE RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES.
THE POST AS PRESIDENT OF AMTORG TRADING CORP., WHICH HANDLES ALL
SOVIET IMPORT AND EXPORT OPERATIONS IN THIS COUNTRY, WENT TO NIKOLAI
N. SMELYAKOV. HE ARRIVED HERE THE FIRST OF THE YEAR TO TAKE OVER THE
DUTIES.

SMELYAKOV WAS BELIEVED TO BE THE HIGHEST RANKING COMMUNIST PARTY
OFFICIAL EVER TO HOLD THE JOB.

UNTIL A FEW MONTHS AGO HE WAS FIRST SECRETARY OF THE PARTY IN
RUSSIA'S GORKY PROVINCE, ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL AREAS
IN THE SOVIET UNION.

IT WAS LEARNED ALSO THAT AMTORG IS MOVING TO NEW AND LARGER
QUARTERS HERE.

SMELYAKOV SUCCEEDED T.T. IVANOV AS CHIEF OF THE AGENCY. IVANOV
HELD THE POST ONLY SIX MONTHS.

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NEW YORK, FEB. 5 (AP)-MAYOR WILLY BRANDT OF WEST BERLIN SAID TODAY
HE WOULD LIKE TO TALK OVER THE SITUATION IN HIS GERMAN CITY WITH
PRESIDENT EISENHOWER.

BRANDT FLEW IN FROM LONDON AND HAD A BRIEF STOPOVER AT IDLEWILD
AIRPORT WHILE CHANGING PLANES FOR OTTAWA. HE IS ON A MONTH'S GOODWILL
TOUR OF CANADA, THE UNITED STATES AND SOUTHEASTERN ASIA.

THE RUSSIANS HAVE PROPOSED THAT WEST BERLIN BE MADE A FREE CITY
UNDER UNITED NATIONS SUPERVISION. WHEN REPORTERS ASKED BRANDT IF HE
WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS THE GENERAL WEST BERLIN SITUATION WITH
EISENHOWER, HE REPLIED:

"THIS HAS TO BE WORKED OUT--I WOULD LIKE IT VERY MUCH. I WOULD LIKE
TO EXPLAIN AND I WOULD LIKE TO GO INTO THE POLITICAL DETAILS OF
WEST BERLIN...I WANT TO COLLECT AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE AS TO
HOW RESPONSIBLE PEOPLE FEEL HERE."

BRANDT EXPECTS TO VISIT WASHINGTON SATURDAY.

BRANDT ARRIVED IN OTTAWA TONIGHT WITH PLANS FOR A FAST ROUND OF
TALKS WITH CANADA'S PRIME MINISTER JOHN DIEFENBAKER, GOVERNOR-GENERAL
VINCENT MASSEY AND FOREIGN SECRETARY SIDNEY SMITH.
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LONDON, FEB. 5 (AP)-WEST BERLIN MAYOR WILLY BRANDT TOOK OFF BY JET-
LINER FOR CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES TODAY.

BRANDT AND HIS WIFE WERE TO MAKE A BRIEF STOP IN NEW YORK THIS
AFTERNOON, THEN FLY ON TO OTTAWA. HE GOES TO WASHINGTON ON SATURDAY
AND WILL SPEND A LITTLE MORE THAN A WEEK IN THE UNITED STATES.
BRANDT SAID HIS AIM IN AMERICA IS TO PUT ACROSS WHAT BERLINERS
FEEL ABOUT THE SOVIET THREAT TO THE DIVIDED CITY.
OF THE RUSSIAN HOLDUP OF THE AMERICAN CONVOY IN EAST GERMANY EARL-
IER THIS WEEK HE SAID:
"I FIND IT HARD TO BELIEVE IT WAS ORDERED BY RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT
OFFICIALS IN MOSCOW. IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN AN ACTION BY LOCAL
MILITARY AUTHORITIES."
HE SAID HE DID NOT THINK THERE WOULD BE A WAR OVER BERLIN.
HE SAID HE THOUGHT THE RUSSIANS REALIZED THE "WEST WOULD BE
PREPARED TO TAKE A SERIOUS RISK."
BRANDT BACKED THE BRITISH-AMERICAN POSITION THAT ANY EAST-WEST
TALKS SHOULD ENCOMPASS THE WHOLE ISSUE OF THE REUNIFICATION OF GERMANY,
NOT JUST WEST BERLIN.
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